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D. M'LAUGHLIN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, *Johnstown, Pa.*—Office in the Exchange building, on the Corner of Clinton and Locust streets—up stairs. Will attend to all business connected with his profession. Jan. 31, 1867.-tf.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.—By virtue of sundry writs of Fla. Levari Facias and Vend. Expon., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, and to me directed, there will be ex osed to Public Sale, at the FOSTER HOUSE IN JOHNSTOWN, on SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF MAY, at 1 o'clock, p. m., the following Real Estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of Chas. Plitt, of, in and to the following described building and lot of ground, to wit: A dwelling house of two stories, (frame,) having a front of 24 feet and a depth of 32 feet, situate on Stony Creek street, at the foot of Levergood street, in the Borough of Johnstown, and built upon a certain lot of ground belonging to said Charles Plitt, which said lot is triangular in shape, and bounded by Stony Creek street, (at the foot of Levergood street,) Stony Creek and an alley which divides the lot of Charles Plitt from the property of Jacob Levergood. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Charles Helfrich.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of James F. Howard and Charles Plitt, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in the Borough of Johnstown, Cambria county. Said lot is triangular in shape and bounded by Stony Creek street, Stony Creek and an alley which divides said lot from the property of Jacob Levergood, having thereon erected a two story frame house, now in the occupancy of Charles Plitt. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Sam'l Beam, now for use of Schomaker & Lang et al.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Jacob Fyock, of, in and to a lot of ground situated in Franklintown, Conemaugh township, Cambria county, fronting 50 feet on Main st. and extending back 130 feet to the old township road, adjoining an alley on the north and lot of John Kerr on the south, having thereon erected a one and a half story plank house, plank stable and carpenter shop, now in the occupancy of Jacob Fyock and George Berkebile. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Jacob Swank & Co.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of W. H. Springer, of, in and to the following described building and lot of ground, to wit: A two story frame dwelling house, having a front of 16 feet and 6 in hes and a depth of 24 feet and 5 inches, and is situate upon a certain lot or piece of ground within the county of Cambria, more particularly de cribed as follows: Said lot has a front of 59 feet on a street on the plot of Murraysville, and extends back 130 feet to line of Portage Rail Road, bounded on either side by lands of the Johnstown Manufacturing Company, and is marked and known on the plan of lots in Murraysville by the No. 5. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Johnstown Mechanical Works.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Samuel Carmichael, of, in and to the following described building and lot of ground, to wit: That certain two story plank house or building situate in the township of Conemaugh and county aforesaid, fronting 26 feet on the Scalp Level Turnpike extending back 16 feet, planked, weatherbourded and painted—the lot on which the building is erected having an alley on one side, lot of John Beam on the other side, the turnpike in front and ground of Nicholas Knorr in the rear and the lot or piece of ground or cartalege appurtenent to said building. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Charles Helfrick.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Levi Jacoby, of, in and to two lots of ground situated in Conemaugh township, Cambria county, fronting on the south east on the Johnstown and Scalp Level Turnpike, and extending back to Solomon's Run, adjoining lot of James Mellon on the one side and lot of School House No. 6 on the other, having thereon erected a two story plank house, with a one story kitchen attached, and a plank stable, now in the occupancy of Levi Jacoby. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of L. B. Cohick.

JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, May 13, 1869.

PETITION FOR DIVORCE.—CAMBRIA COUNTY, ss.—The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of Cambria County, Greeting: Whereas ANNIE M'CALLISTER, by her next friend, David Z. Black, did, on the 7th September, A. D. 1866, prefer her petition to our Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, praying, for the causes therein set forth, that she, the said Annie M'Callister, might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with Nason M'Callister.

WE THEREFORE DO COMMAND YOU, the said NASON M'CALLISTER, as we have heretofore commanded you, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Ebensburg, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the said County of Cambria, on the first Monday of June next, to answer the petition or libel of the said Annie M'Callister, and to show cause, if any you have, why the said Annie M'Callister, your wife, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the acts of General Assembly in such cases made and provided; and hereof fail not.

Witness the Honorable George Taylor, President Judge of our said Court, at Ebensburg, the 16th day of December, A. D. 1868.

J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.
Attest—JOHN A. BLAIR, Sheriff. (May6. 4t.)

NEW CHEAP CASH STORE —AT— BUCK'S MILLS, Alleghany Township.

The subscriber would respectfully announce to his friends and the public in general that he has just opened at Buck's Mills a large and superb stock of seasonable merchandise, consisting of all kinds of DRY GOODS, DRESS GOODS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, FURNITURE, HARDWARE, and all other articles usually kept in a country store.

☞Having paid cash for my goods I am determined to dispose of them either for cash, lumber or country produce at as low prices as like goods can be bought from any dealer in the county. A liberal patronage is respectfully solicited. WM. J. BUCK.

Buck's Mills, April 22, 1869.-tf.

SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE.—The well known and valuable BURKE FARM, located in Summerhill township, Cambria county, one a half miles from Wilmore station, and containing 249 ACRES, in good condition, well fenced and having thereon erected a dwelling house and other necessary buildings, together with two splendid orchards and no lack of excellent water, is offered for sale on moderate terms and easy payments. For further information apply to or address,

J. McGONIGLE.
Hemlock, Pa. R. R., May 6, 1869.-tf.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of ROBERT WILLIAMS, late of Cambria township, deceased, the subscriber hereby notifies all persons indebted to the estate of said decedent that payment must be made to him without delay, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them properly authenticated for settlement. WILLIAM LARIMER.
Cambria Tp., May 6, 1869.-6t. Executor

The Poet's Department.

FATHER, TAKE MY HAND.

The way is dark, my Father. Cloud on cloud
Is gathering thickly o'er my head, and loud
The thunders roar above me. See, I stand
Like one bewildered! Father, take my hand,
And through the gloom
Lead safely home
Thy child.

The day goes fast, my Father! And my soul
Is drawing darkly down. My faithless sight
Sees ghostly visions. Fears, a spectral band,
Encompass me. O, Father, take my hand,
And from the night
Lead up to light
Thy child.

The way is long, my Father! And my soul
Longs for the rest and quiet of the goal;
While yet I journey through the weary land
Keep me from wandering. Father, take my hand;
Quickly and straight
Lead to heaven's gate
Thy child.

The path is rough, my Father! Many a thorn
Has pierced me, and my weary feet, all torn
And bleeding, mark the way. Yet Thy command
Bids me press forward. Father, take my hand;
Then, safe and blest,
Lead up to rest
Thy child.

The throng is great, my Father! Many a doubt
And fear and danger compass me about,
And foes oppress me so. I cannot stand
Or go alone. O Father! take my hand,
And through the throng
Lead safe along
Thy child.

The cross is heavy! I have borne
It long, and still do bear it. Let my word
And fainting spirit rise to that blest land
Where crowns are given. Father, take my hand,
And reaching down,
Lead to the crown
Thy child.

Tales, Sketches, Anecdotes, &c.

A THRILLING REMINISCENCE.

BY GEORGE H. CROOMER.

When I was a boy of sixteen, a cousin of mine, motherless girl, named Adelaide Star, came to makeher home with our family. We lived in the country, and I, who had neither brother nor sister, was very glad of so charming a companion. She was two years younger than myself, but rather tall for her age, with rich, auburn hair, a clear, animated complexion, and a mind at once sparkling and thoughtful.

She came to us in a Spring, and my first recollections of her are associated with the May flowers. As they floral season progressed, we enjoyed frequent rambles, and I took delight in culling for her the wild June roses that grew in profusion beside a pond, which in winter was the skating resort for all the young people of the neighbourhood.

It occupied a picturesqe though lonely spot, the surrounding woodlands shuting out all human habitations, with the exception of the mad-house or lunatic asylum upon a hill a mile distant.

Adelaide was charmed with the bright waters and the surrounding wealth of wild flowers. Little did she imagine a far different scene in which upon this very spot she would be called to act.

I related to her the skating feats of the previous winter, and once, I told her the story of "Crazy Zaiah," now confined in the madhouse. Poor Isaiah! His calamity originated upon the pond. Here, years before I was born, had his reason gone out. But it was not while the birds sang, or the green frogs plunged, or the turtle peeped. Addie looked about her as if wondering whether the catastrophe happened by the gray stone just visible above the wate, or by the rosebush upon the jet of land, or away in the centre of the lake. Then she gazed so pensively at the structure upon the hill that I repented having saddened her with the tale.

She, too, was a famous skater; at least, I judged so from her enthusiasm upon the subject, and from her half wishing it was winter—and I judged rightly, for was she not yet to owe the preservation of that lovely head to the dexterity of those fairy feet?

As time passed, we became more attached to each other from constant associaton. At last came the winter. The great pond was frozen from end to end, and no skater who swept its surface could rival Adelaide Starr. I could imagine her a swallow with shining crest and beautiful bright wings.

Often on the moonlight evenings, while the steel rang out and the madhouse was dimly shown in the distance, I pictured the skating sports of other generations and the catastrophe to him who was now called "Crazy Zaiah."

Once in the old time, a number of very young boys come down to the pond. One of them, a bright lad of ten years, was named Isaiah Marvin. It was a dark evening, and the unpractised little fellows met with many a mishap. There were seams in the ice which caught their skates; there were treacherous sticks lying about it; and there were holes which they could not see. So, one and another fell; but it was as children generally fall—merely to spring up unharmed. Some stumbled into the springy places in the pond. What would mother or Aunt Mary say when the wet stockings should go home?

Isaiah was the only tolerably fine skater there was among them. From the northern extremity of the ice, where the deep spring hole was, away he swept to the end, till the figure was lost among the famous islands of wild rose-bushes, all leafless and frozen. Wheeling around, he had just started to return, when another boy, skating in the opposite direction, having slipped upon a loose stick, plunged heavily against him.

Isaiah was hurled backward, striking his head upon the ice, and then he remained motionless. The blow was so violent that it made a starlike imprint in the glossy floor. Vainly his terrified companions lifted his head, or moved the small feet and hands. With his cap lying near him—with the red and white comforter about his neck, and the skates upon his feet, he lay in silence.

The boys drew together to counsel.—They were horribly frightened—the poor little fellows! for the loneliness was terrible, there on the black ice in the darkness, with their seemingly dead companion.

Crying, whispering or declaiming in round eyed terror, the little lads canvassed their position. They had heard of dreadful murders—they had heard that boys had been hung? Grandmother had told them so—Aunt Clara and Uncle John had told them so. Boys had been hung! Wouldn't they be hung? Wouldn't people say that they had killed Isaiah, just as the boys whom grandmother told them of had killed *their* playmate? And then they would have ropes put around their necks and be drawn in a cart?

Sobs and downright crying worse than ever, attested to their credulity as this view of the case was taken.

The children of that day were not like those of the present. They were more ignorant, more simple, more the victims of imaginary and numberless terrors.—And at last, Zaiah's comrades, in their nine and ten year old simplicity, resolved to conceal his body under the ice. They dragged him towards the spring at the north end—red and white comforter, poor little skates and all, and there they laid him down, close to the open water.

Then one boy hesitated, and the hesitation soon grew to positive objection.—Another joined him, and again they all came to a debate upon the matter.

Those who insisted upon the concealment, feeling themselves guilless, and yet inextriesably involved in horrors, finally took off their skates and ran crying away. The others were about following, with intention of seeking aid, when Isaiah showed signs of life. How the poor boys cried for joy! They stepped beside their playmate and raised his poor head, and tried to lift him to his feet. The arrival of older persons happily relieved them, and Isaiah was carried home.

From that hour he had known but little. Always in winter his insanity was worse than at other seasons, and though forty years had passed since the accident, he was still at times a raving maniac.—Once, escaping from the madhouse, he had come down at midnight to the pond. There, in the morning his keeper had found him. The neighbors were summoned to assist in his capture, and all were terrified by his fantastic gestures.—He was a very large man, of immense muscular power.

The story of Isaiah made a deep impression upon Adelaide. In the beginning of winter she had dreamed that a monstrous madman pursued her about the pond, and even after, when skaking there at evening, she betrayed some timidity.

In January, the ice, which had been roughened by the skate-irons, thawed entirely, and shortly after the pond froze smooth as glass. I communicated to Addie the intelligence, much to her delight. The area was larger than usual, and no one had been upon the new ice.

We set out for the scene at evening, thinking to find a number of our acquaintances there; but in this we were disappointed. The farmer boys, with their sweethearts and sisters, were enjoying the fine sleighing—a snow having fallen just previous to the freezing of the pond. I fastened the skates upon Adelaide's little boots—real skating boots, which she had just waded through the snow with—and away she glided as if borne upon the air.

The excellent condition of the ice, gave her artistic powers full play. In the clear central space she made rapid circles, then darting out at an angle she would sweep backward with wonderful swiftness.

At length, while we were widely separated, she uttered a wild cry, as if greatly terrified. Hastening to her assistance, I beheld, standing at the mouth of an inlet about twenty feet in width, the gigantic figure of a man. He was bare-headed, with bristling hair and a horribly fierce aspect. Beyond him, and between the hedge-like lines of wild rosebushes, stood Adelaide, her beautiful arms upraised in frantic terror.

As I approached, he turned towards me. The frightened girl, seeing his attention diverted, endeavored to escape by passing him. Instantly he rushed towards her, and as she wheeled despairingly back, I glided close under his arm and reached her side. The inlet was a dozen rods long, narrowing as it went; but near its extremity was another arm of ice branching from this, and reaching in a circuitous manner back to the pond.—Away we went, at such speed as we had seldom used till now.

"He will kill us! he will kill us!" cried Addie. "We cannot get out! O, it is so narrow!"

But narrow still was the arm at our right—not more than two feet wide, and intervals almost wholly lost.

"Quick, Addie! Turn here—I will follow!

We darted aside upon the maniac.—But the advantage was his, and without waiting to reach the point where he had turned, he came crashing through the bushes to intercept us. It was a terrible moment. At what point would he cross our path? How we flew upon our surely-tried skates! Little round hammocks, patches of deep moss, "white ice," and ugly sticks—everything, seemed in our way. And the madman thundering through the crackling brush?

Once Adelaide ran straight over an island of briers, and bog, and snow, because in her terror she had missed the little channel. But the maniac was too late. He rushed into the path at a point just behind us, and soon all three stood upon the wide pond.

The peril was now greatly lessened, yet to escape from our position without aid would be impossible. Our sole hope was in remaining upon the ice, where, if Adelaide's nerves could sustain her under the dreadful trial, I felt that we would be able to avoid the madman's grasp. From his wild ejaculations, it became evident that his object was the possession of Addie's head, from which he intended to manufacture a "skate boat." The gleam of a dangerous-looking knife put his proposition in a fearfully practical light.

He was Isaiah Marvin. Cold as was the night, his feet were clothed only with stockings—a most unfortunate circumstance for Addie and me, as they prevented his slipping. He may have lost his shoes in the rough pastures which his poor crazy steps had crossed.

Again he pursued us. The neighbors were too distant to have heard, had we cried out, and therefore in silence, and hand-in-hand, we darted hither and thither. His agility was remarkable, yet our evolutions were abundantly more rapid than his pursuit. It was not pleasant, this dodging away from corners, this attempt to keep the middle of the area, this getting in and out of "checks." One false move, and then—Addie's head for a skate-boat!

At last he paused, looked all about him, and muttered incoherently in his fearful gibberish. Then leaping aside, he seized a dry branch which lay at the foot of a tree beside the pond. It was long and heavy. With this he resumed the chase, launching the missile at us, or sweeping it around us, as we wheeled to avoid him.

Now, in very despair at our situation, I began to shout as often as I could get breath, yet I was not disappointed that no one came from the far-off road or the farmer's dwellings.

Away to the south end we swept in our now increasing panic, the madman at our heels with his huge stick. There we wheeled. Our pursuer was a good distance behind, but as we glided around to double upon him, he hurled his club like a "boomerang." Striking the ice, it spun towards our feet, and though we leaped up to avoid it, the catastrophe came. A ringing of steel made my heart sick. Adelaide tottered, and clung to me with both hands, while far out upon the ice, the runner of her left skate slid jingling away!

The madman yelled like a wild beast. How cunning he was, how quick he was to perceive his advantage! But there was still hope. Keeping Addie's hand in mine, while she balanced herself upon one little foot, I drew her swiftly beyond the reach of those dreadful arms, skating as I had never skated till then.

Around and around we went, and now that Addie's safety depended wholly upon myself, I felt that I should never grow weary. Yet how long would she be able to glide upon one foot? And would not that dreadful forest branch be again thrown with fearful accuracy? It *was* thrown—it came again and again, and I felt that in some way the end of this scene must be near.

In spite of my resolution, I grew in want of breath. I was becoming maddened. At the north end of the pond I nearly skated into the deep, open spring. The maniac was closely following. Perceiving the gleam of water, I bore heavily on the heel to avoid it, when again the huge branch glided along the ice, and both feet were struck from under me—Addie at the same instant falling by my side. The madman's club, continuing its course, splashed into the pool.

The maniac himself, coming at full speed, rushed directly over us. He caught at Addie's cap in his wild career, snatching it from her head. Thrown from his balance by our prostrate forms, and unable to check his course, he plunged headlong into the spring.

The ice beneath Adelaide and myself was yielding, and it required all our activity to escape from our position. Then instantly throwing off our skates, we ran homeward.

An hour later, when the neighbors visited the pond, the madman was found still alive in the deep water, supporting himself by clinging to the ice and to the dry branch which he had placed upon it. The shock had dispelled his frenzy, and in a state of utter exhaustion he was carried back to the asylum.

A SMART THING—a mustard plaster.

SI SLOCUM TO JENNIE JUNE.

Jennie June, languishing in "slavery gilded," not having anything else to do, wrote a letter concerning the status of "dear woman," and sent the same to the Hartford *Times*. The editor, a good-natured fellow, well known for his devotion to the fair sex generally, out of pure gallantry, and being a little short of "copy" at the time, published gentle Jennie's jaundiced jeremaid, and at the close of the same expressed the hope that his fair correspondent might be "all that God intended her to be," which was gentlemanly on his part, and proved him to be the good-natured fellow we asserted.

Jennie opens with a conundrum, thus: "Will the time ever come when women will be born free to do and to be whatever they can?—free to decide their own destiny, without the compelling pressure, in any given direction, from friends or foes?"

And then adds doubtfully, "It may," but gives up for "this generation," at least.

That's a poser, Jennie, that conundrum, and at present no solution can be given. We might say "Yes," but you would shake your head and say, "I can't believe it." If we said "No," you would shake your little fist at us and say, "I won't believe it." We couldn't convince you either way, poor victim of "slavery gilded," and so we "give it up."

As to your doing and being whatever you can—what, where is the bar? You are debarred, by reason of female suffrage not being recognized, from Congress, we will admit; but State prisons are as open to you as to men, and of two evils you should choose the least. What else is there that you cannot grasp if you have the ability and courage to "do and dare"—and necessary capital? If you haven't these requisites which many men lack, it's your misfortune and not our fault—isn't it?

Tell us what you can't "do," and "be," outside of voting, and Congresswoman. Sculpture, painting, authorship and editorial duties are open to you, and you have the taste, ability, genius and will to enter these fields. You "teach the young idea how to shoot," pretty extensively, and should be, and no doubt you are, proud of it. In your ranks are lecturers, preachers, physicians, actresses, fortune-tellers, colporteurs, saleswomen, book-keepers, etc. The arts and sciences, polite and useful, are all open to you.—You may study law if you wish, though clients might be a little fearful lest their secrets would out; you may discuss politics with the greatest "freedom," though having as yet, but little voice in national or municipal affairs, you are not entirely left out in the cold, post offices and Treasury clerkships being within your reach.

You run millinery establishments, bar rooms, peanut stands, and sundry and divers other institutions of emolument and profit, and if you don't like city life you can go to farming—two young ladies of Iowa have lately taken up land in that State, and are now running a farm on their own hook.

There's the tensorial profession—nothing to hinder you from monopolizing this branch of industry, and we can promise you a fruitful field here. You could have all our custom. Who would go to Tom Higgins's shop when they could go to Jennie June's?

With the exception of voting and being Congresswomen, there is nothing, Jennie, you are not "free to do and to be," even to speculating in Erie and becoming stock gamblers, if you possess the requisite will and ability, and necessary capital. Had you the Erie-pressible qualities of Fisk, Jr., like him you could go it with a perfect looseness—pray what's to hinder?—But if you have only the qualities and nature of the *dear* gazelle, how do you expect to play the lion?

Some of the fraternity of women don't seem to have lost their heads as yet. Read:

"Mrs. Dolly Chandler and one hundred and ninety-four other women have sent a remonstrance to the Massachusetts Legislature against women suffrage believing that it would "diminish the purity the dignity, and the moral influence of women, and bring into the family circle a dangerous element of discord, without additional strength, efficiency, or wisdom to the government of the nation," and ask to be let alone, "*in the condition allotted to us by nature, custom and religion.*"

In addition to all that you now do and might do, of a useful nature, you are not restricted in your amusements and recreations. You have your orders, societies and clubs; you drive fast horses, play billiards, risk more or less in games of chance, such as "dollar stores," etc., as much perhaps, as the men in the great game of chance—Matrimony. You have your junketings at Delmonico's and other places, you—well, what don't you do?—You say:

"The husband is proud of his wife; he would not let her soil her white hands for the world; and he is delighted to gratify her every wish to the extent of his means. In society, and even at home, he is apparently her slave. And she boasts of his ready attention to her every behest. But she is dependent upon him."

Ah! that's where the shoe pinches, eh?—dependence. Say, Jennie, didn't she know as well before marriage as after, that she would be dependent upon him? Why didn't she remain single and *independent*—"free?" There was no law compelling her to marry him, and nothing in the "Constitution" as amended (?) to that effect. Even if the old gentleman was determined upon the match, all she had to do at the altar was to muster up a little pluck and say "No." Fudge, Jennie, all fudge, this talk about "independence." Who is independent?—*N. Y. Leader.*

DECEIT OF SONG WRITERS.

BY THE "FAT CONTRIBUTOR."

The man who wrote "Home, Sweet Home," never had a home.—EXCHANGE.

No, of course not. All his folks at home say he didn't. Nobody who writes about anything ever has it. If a man is out of anything he immediately goes and writes about it. No one writes so many "headings" as the man who is out of his head.

Certainly he didn't have any home. The man who wrote "Old Arm Chair" never had an arm chair in all his life. The best he had was an old split bottom chair without any back to it.

The author of "Take me back to Switzerland" never was in Switzerland. The nearest he ever came to it was sitting in the W. Tell saloon eating Switzer kase—*kase* why, that was the best he could do.

"Mother, I've come Home to Die" hasn't spoken to the old woman for years, and wouldn't go near the house. Besides, he is one of that class of spiritualists who don,t believe they will ever die. His health was never better. His mother is nothing but a mother in-law, and she is dead, anyhow.

There is the author of "Old Oaken Bucket," too; there wasn't a bucket on the whole farm, water being drawn with a pail and a cistern pole.

"If I had but a thousand a year" stated privately to his friends that he would be perfectly contented with half that sum, as he was doing chores just for his board and three months' schooling in the winter.

The author of "Champagne Charley" never drank anything but ten cent whisky.

The man who wrote "Mary had a little lamb" knew very well it was nothing but a little lamb fry.

"Shells of Ocean" is a humbug. The plaintive poet who represents himself as wandering, one summer's eve, with sea-beat thought, on a pensive shore, was raised in the interior of Pennsylvania, and never was ten miles away from home in all his life.—"Gathered Shells," did he? All the shells he ever gathered were some egg shells back of his mother's kitchen.

"Hark, I hear the angels singing" spent all his evenings in a concert beer saloon.—Angels, indeed!

The man who wrote the "Song of the Shirt" hadn't a shirt to his back, wearing a wammus for the most part.

"Oft in the Stilly Night" used to get on a spree and make the stilly night howl till day break.

The author of "We met by chance" knew very well it was all arranged before hand. He had been weeks in contriving it,—and she admired his contrivance.

The author of "I know a bank," &c., didn't know one where he could get his note discounted. The only check he ever held was a white check on a faro bank.—He never had a red check in all his life.

"What are the wild waves saying?" knew very well they were reproaching him for running away from Long Branch without paying his hotel bill.

"Who will care for mother now?" Who, indeed! You took the old woman to the poor house just before writing the song, and there is nobody but the poormaster to care for her now.

"Hear me Norma," was deaf and dumb, He couldn't make his pa hear *nor ma*.

"My mother dear" used to thrash the old woman within an inch of her life.

The author of "Rain on the roof" always slept in the basement, except when he slept out doors.

"Let me kiss him for his mother," got mad because his mother wouldn't have him, and whipped her little boy within an inch of his life.

"I dreampt I dwelt in marble halls," used to cheat at marbles when a boy, and his dream was a horrid nightmare, brought on by remorse at the recollection of fraudulent *marble hauls*.

"I'm saddest when I sing," was tickled almost to death when invited to.

"Happy by thy dreams," sold benzine whiskey. You can fancy what kind of dreams were produced.

"No one to love," having just killed his fifth wife, naturally felt like the devil.—*Cin. Times.*

WONDERS OF MINUTE WORKMANSHIP.—In the twentieth year of Queen Elizabeth a blacksmith named Mark Scaliot made a lock, consisting of eleven pieces of iron, steel, and brass, all of which, together with a key to it, weighed but one grain of gold. He also made a chain of gold, consisting of forty-three links, and, having fastened this to the before-mentioned lock and key, he put the chain about the neck of a flea, which drew them all with ease. All these together, lock and key, chain and flea, weighed only one grain and a half. Oswaldus Norhingerus, who was more famous even than Scaliot for his minute contrivances, is said to have made sixteen hundred discs of turned ivory, all perfect and complete in every part, yet so small, thin and slender, that all of them were included at once in a cup turned out of a peppercorn, of the common size. Johannas Shad carried this wonderful work to Rome, and showed to Pope Paul V., who saw and counted them all by the help of a pair of spectacles. They were so little as to be almost invisible to the eye. Johannes Ferrarius, a Jesuit, had in his possession cannons of wood, with their carriages, wheels, and all other military furniture, all of which were also contained in a peppercorn of the ordinary size. An artist named Claudus Gallus, made for Hippolytus d'Este, Cardinal of Ferrara, representations of sundry birds sitting on the tops of trees, which by hydraulic art and secret conveyance of water through the trunks and branches of the trees, were made to sing and clap their wings; but by the sudden appearance of an owl out of a bush of the same artifice, they immediately all became mute and silent.—*World of Wonder.*

Cambria Freeman.

THURSDAY, : : : MAY 27, 1869.

Meeting of Democratic County Committee.

The members of the Democratic County Committee of Cambria county, are requested to meet at the Court House in Ebensburg, on TUESDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JUNE NEXT, at one o'clock, p. m. A general attendance is desirable, as the time for holding the next County Convention will be named and other business of importance to the party will be brought before the Committee.

H. D. WOODRUFF, Chairman.

NAMES OF MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.—Alleghany, Joseph Hogue; Blacklick, John Ferguson; Cambria bor., Dan'l McPeak; Cambria twp., Wm. Larimer; Carroll twp., Eman'l Disbart; Carrolltown bor., John Buck; Chest, John M. Swope; Chest Springs bor., Joseph Wagner; Clearfield, Charles McGough; Conemaugh bor., 1st ward, A. Brindle: 2d ward Henry P. Freidhoff; Croyle, Elisha Plummer, Ebensburg, E W., Philip Collins: W. W., Geo. W. Oatman; East Conemaugh bor., John T. Cooney; Franklin bor., Lawrence Furlong; Gallitzin, James Henry; Jackson, D. F. A. Greer; Johnstown, 1st ward, John Hannan: 2d ward, John F. Barnes: 3d ward, James King: 4th ward, Charles Plitt: 5th ward, Henry Mattern: 6th ward, Hugh Maloy; Loretto, Thomas Callan; Millville, Peter McDermott; Munster, A. Durbin; Prospect, John White; Richland, James Costlow; Summerhill, Alex. Skelly: Summitville, John Sharbaugh; Susquehanna, John Bearer; Taylor, Wm. Headrick; Washington, J. H. Kennedy; White, Geo. Walters; Wilmore, Isaac Wike; Yoder, George Haas.

The District Court.

We learn from the answer of the Johnstown *Democrat* to our questions in regard to the renting of Union Hall for the use of the "District Court," that the rent to be paid for the same is *eight hundred dollars* per annum. By the terms of the law establishing the Court, it is provided that *four* sessions thereof shall be held in each year, to continue *one week*. As Union Hall will therefore be used by the Court just *four weeks* during the year, the stipulated rent amounts to *two hundred dollars for each week*. We regard this an imposition upon the people of the county, and as not at all creditable to the liberality of the owners of Union Hall. If the establishment of the District Court at Johnstown will prove to be the great and inestimable boon contended for by the *four* legal gentlemen who acted as sponsors for it; if justice, heretofore denied, as was alleged, is to be brought home to every man's door and made cheap; if a sort of legal millenium is thereby to be inaugurated on the classic banks of the Conemaugh and Stony Creek and the region of country adjacent thereto, it was naturally to be expected that the owners of "Union Hall," or any other Hall in that growing and enterprising city, would have graduated their demand for the "*rint*" in proportion to the great benefits to be conferred. Instead, however, of manifesting a liberal and generous spirit, as a *quid pro quo*, they seem to have acted entirely from motives of self interest and with a view to make the most out of what they claimed would be a positive blessing. We have been informed that, according to the contract, the use of Union Hall is only guaranteed to the Court during the *day time*. and that if the Hall should be required *after dark* for the delivery of a lecture, or for any purpose of amusement, a negro concert for instance, then all judicial proceedings must be suspended, and the *fiddle*, the *banjo* and the *bones* substituted in their place. This being the case, the enormity of the rent cannot be palliated or justified.

We have it on undoubted authority that "Fronheiser's Hall" was offered, including the fitting up of the offices and jury rooms, for the sum of *four hundred dollars*, or just *one-half* the amount agreed to be paid for Union Hall.

We understand that the capacity of Fronheiser's Hall is about equal to that of our present Court room. If it is so, or very nearly so, then it was sufficient for all the purposes of the Court, and *four hundred dollars* a year would have been saved to the county treasury. If the present Court room is sufficient to accommodate the people of the *entire county*, it is perfectly manifest that Fronheiser's Hall ought to be large enough to do the same thing for the people of Johnstown *alone*, unless they have lost all their proverbial modesty.

If any good reasons can be given why the people of the county should be made to pay this extra rent of *four hundred dollars* a year for Union Hall, we would like to see them plainly and publicly stated.

It would be true economy for the county to buy Union Hall at once, provided it can be purchased for something less than an average Washoe silver mine.

PRESIDENT GRANT appears to be peculiarly unfortunate in some of his most important appointments. He seems to think that the government machine can and ought to be run by a class of men who are his servile tools, and who failed to acquire any reputation in the army. He has just appointed the notorious *Daniel E. Sickles* Minister to Spain. Sickles is the man whose want of generalship and military blundering came so near rendering General Meade's victory at Gettysburg a defeat, and for which he was threatened with a court martial. At this particular crisis in the affairs of Spain and Cuba, a moderate knowledge of statesmanship would have selected as our representative to the former country, one of our most eminent and trusted men, rather than a failure and charlatan like Sickles. To send Washburne to France was a political crime, but to send Daniel E. Sickles to Spain, is worse—it is a blunder. The New York *Evening Post*, a leading Grant paper, thus speaks of the apointment and of Sickles's probable fate at the hands of the Senate:

"This is an appointment which the country will not approve, and which the Senate, when it meets, ought not to confirm. It is a bad appointment, made in the face of light; for though, when the name of Mr. Sickles was first mentioned in connection with the Spanish mission, the administration might have been ignorant of his character and history, this cannot now be said."

Radicalism in Indiana.

When the representatives of the radical party in Congress deliberately trample upon the constitution and legislate *outside* of the provisions of that instrument, it follows that the members of that faction in the various State legislatures will not be slow to imitate the example. The entire history of that political organization for the last eight years, as well in Congress as in the legislative halls of the different States, shows it to be a party criminally reckless and utterly regardless of all the requirements of law. So intent is it upon establishing its favorite negro policy, that it ignores the solemn provisions of a State constitution, by a simple legislative enactment, and in their stead substitutes its own blind will by the mere force of an accidental numerical majority. It perpetrated this enormity in our own State by a hardened and shameless violation of its own pledges, and by ratifying the negro suffrage amendment it undertook to change the constitution of the State in a manner wholly unknown to, and in direct conflict with, its clearly expressed provisions. Conscious that a vast majority of the people of this State are irrevocably opposed to negro suffrage, and afraid to trust the question to a popular vote, constitutions are but cobwebs, to be brushed away in its onward strides to usurped and despotic power. Whenever a party refuses to submit a question of great public concern to a vote of the people, it is conclusive evidence of its own inherent dishonesty, and when it attempts to accomplish its base purposes by defrauding the people out of a reserved constitutional right, it is an evidence of its wickedness and revolutionary character.

The recent infamous conduct of the radical members of the Indiana legislature, furnishes the latest and most flagrant instance of radical contempt for the constitution of that State, as well as for their own official oaths. The radicals have a *majority* in each house, but not enough to constitute a *quorum* for the transaction of business, the constitution requiring *two-thirds* for that purpose. In our State, a bare majority will make a quorum, and this enabled the radical party to perpetrate the bold fraud of the last session. When the radicals attempted to *force* the fifteenth amendment through the Indiana legislature, in open violation of their own pledges, the democratic members in both houses *resigned*, in order that the iniquity might not be consummated, and that the people of the State might pass upon the question at the election to be held next fall. This occurred on the 4th of last March. A special election was ordered by the Governor to fill the vacancies, and every democratic member who resigned was *re-elected*. When it became apparent, on the 13th of the present month, that the radical majority was determined to pass the amendment at all hazards, the democratic members again sent their resignations to the Governor. What then took place is shown by the two following despatches of the 13th and 14th of May:

INDIANAPOLIS, May 13.—All the Democratic members of the House of Representatives, except two, resigned this morning, leaving the House again without a quorum.

In the Senate, at roll call this afternoon, thirty-seven members answered to their names THE DOORS WERE LOCKED and the absentees sent for. Pending this proceeding, the constitutional amendment was called up and a vote taken, although the Democratic members present announced that they had sent their resignations to the Governor this morning—The Lieutenant Governor ruled that the Senate had no official notice of their resignation, and declared the amendment ratified by a vote of 27 ayes to 1 nay—11 Senators present not voting

INDIANAPOLIS, May 14.—The House of Representatives, this afternoon, before calling the roll to ascertain whether a quorum was present or not, concurred in the Senate amendments to the specific Appropriation bill by a viva voce vote.

A message was received by the Governor, notifying the House of the resignation of forty-seven members.

Mr. Osborne, Republican, then moved to adopt the joint resolution ratifying the Constitutional Amendment.

Mr. Coffroth, Democrat, objected, making a point of order that there was not a quorum present.

The Chairman ruled that the objection might be considered as an appeal taken by Mr. Coffroth, and the decision of the Speaker was sustained. The House then passed the joint resolution by a vote of —Yeas, 51; nays none. Two Democrats and one Republican present refused to vote.

This is an improvement in legislation, derived from the *stand and deliver* process practised by the highwayman and common robber, and is an entirely unprecedented and most villainous assumption of legislative power. Nothing so utterly disgraceful has ever before occurred in any legislative hall in this or any other country, save perhaps some similar scenes enacted by the Jacobins of the French Assembly during the "Reign of Terror." Here was presented the silly spectacle, of a body which had no legal existence, and which for all conceiveable purposes of legislation was perfectly defunct, ratifying an amendment to the constitution of the United States. Could legislative impudence assume a bolder front? Does any man but a born fool suppose that this revolutionary proceeding possesses any validity, or that the slightest importance will be attached to it? Does any man in Pennsylvania, who has any manhood in him, believe that her citizens will slavishly submit to an amendment, which produces a radical change in her own constitution, which has been *forced* upon her by such a high handed and infamous proceeding? If he does he will find himself terribly deceived. There is a point beyond which human endurance ceases to be a virtue. But it is said that Congress will recognize the act of the Indiana legislature as legal and sufficient. We have no doubt of it, for we can conceive of no act, however illegal and unconstitutional, that Congress would fail to recognize, provided it was necessary to accomplish its unholy purposes. But this is a legal question which will have to be submitted to another tribunal than a venal and corrupt body like the present Congress, if there should be any occasion to test its validity—a tribunal in whose integrity the people yet repose confidence, although their faith in the purity and honesty of the other branches of the government has been greatly shaken, if not entirely destroyed.

Honoring the Dead Heroes and Cheating the Living Ones.

The Philadelphia *Daily News*, after speaking in commendatory terms of the beautiful custom of decorating the graves of those brave men who sacrificed their lives to preserve the honor and integrity of this great nation, thus refers to the gross injustice done to the surviving soldiers by that party which promised so much when men were wanted to fill up our depleted armies:

"But what of the living braves? Those countless numbers that breasted the storm of iron hail through the "Wilderness," and yet escaped, or those who traced their way down from Atlanta to the Sea, rearing the old stars and stripes at every point of their approach from whence they had been stricken down; those gallant spirits that stood upon the decks of our gun-boats, or in the suffocating heat of the iron-clads, poured out swift retribution on the men who were seeking the destruction of our Government. What of these who still survive? Traverse the avenues of our great cities, and you find them, with the single hand that remains, grinding a hand-organ, and thus soliciting alms from each passer-by; or journeying over the country, and passing through hamlet and village, how many of them do you find but a single degree moved from pauperism. For these *living* braves we seem to care not, and the solemn pledges of the Government made to them are violated with the same impunity that marks the pagan's reckless disregard of his word. It is not, of course, to be expected that the Government can fully provide for all who fought her battles and still survive, but every principle of morality, of honor, and even decency, demands that the faith that was pledged to the man before entering the army, shall be, in so far as practicable, redeemed.

"In 1851 the then Director of the United States Mint, Mr. James Ross Snowden, issued from that establishment the following circular:

"MINT OF THE UNITED STATES.—PHILADELPHIA, April 22, 1861.—Referring to the recent proclamation of the President of the United States, respecting the employment of troops for the defence of the Capitol, the Directors makes the following regulations:

"1. Any person employed in the Mint, subject to the appointment of the Director, who has volunteered, or may volunteer, to serve in the army, will, on the expiration of his service, be re-employed in the position he now occupies.

"2. A roll of persons, to whom this order will apply, will be kept by the Director's clerk. Signed,

"JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,
"Director of the Mint."

"Now let us recur to a case occurring under this order, and see if we do not convict the Government, or rather, one of its officials, of cheating and defrauding our living braves. Mr. James Crossen was, at the time this letter was issued, an employee in the Mint, and, having notified Mr. Snowden of his determination to act under it, and join the army of the Union, he received from the Director a very complimentary letter enclosing a copy of the order quoted. At the close of the war Mr C. returned to his home, and was, in good faith, reinstated by Director Millward. But a few weeks since, Pollock was again inducted into office as Director of the Mint, and, with a cool disregard of the pledged faith of his predecessor, and of the Government through him, with a single sweep of his magnificent arm he decapitated every soldier that had been appointed by Directors Millward and Linderman, Mr. Crossen among the rest. Shall we, in the immediate view of the 'decoration' which is to take place tomorrow week, declare all these professions of honor for living soldiers, and reverence for the dead ones, hypocrisy?—The decoration is a cheap service, and this creature Pollock will doubtless be engaged in it, for he is ever on the alert for a means of manufacturing 'bumcomb' for his own benefit. But will his utterances not choke him when he again gets up to talk about 'our gallant dead,' or to prate of the services rendered by the brave men who constituted the various armies of the Union? It costs but little to go through the motions of distributing these flowers, but to observe good faith toward the living representatives of a principle which one has and is still abusing, requires something of courage which cowards are strangers to. Alas! that whilst honoring the dead soldier, we should deliberately cheat and defraud the living one."

IF what is now notoriously taking place in many portions of the country had occurred during the administration of Andrew Johnson—if military expeditions had been fitted out then, as they are being organized now, to render aid and assistance to the men in Cuba who are in rebellion against Spain, with whom the United States are at peace, and if President Johnson had connived at such illegal and unfriendly proceedings, and had failed to issue his proclamation of neutrality, as he would have been bound to do under his oath of office, who doubts but that a loyal Congress would instantly have preferred articles of impeachment against him. There would then have been a pretty good reason for his conviction. But Grant looks on stolidly and does not say a word. It is even stated that he is pleased to see such proceedings take place. We could expect nothing else from a man of his peculiar training and lack of ability to comprehend the plain duties of his office.—It is true that Spain is weak, but that is no reason why a President should incur the taunts and jeers of the civilized governments of the world.

THE Supreme Court for the Middle District met at Harrisburg last Monday. It was expected that the argument on the constitutionality of the act of the last legislature abolishing the Lycoming County Judicial District would have taken place—Owing, however, to the absence of a superannuted member of the Court, John M. Read, of naturalization memory, and the demand of the Attorney General for a full board, the argument was potponed until the meeting of the Court in Philadelphia, on the first day of July. Judge Gamble, the President Judge of the District whose Court it is sought to destroy, was represented by the Hon. Jeremiah S. Black, Hon. William Strong and the Hon. William M. Meredith. Mr. Brewster, the Attorney General, appeared for the Commonwealth.

The Gubernatorial Nomination.

A newspaper in Philadelphia, which claims the right to speak words of warning and instruction to the Democracy of Pennsylvania, contains a most unfair and malignant attack on General Cass. We do not know whose interest it hopes to advance by this wretched mode of warfare, but we *do* know that no friend of our candidate for the nomination, no newspaper of the many which support him, has ever either overtly or covertly said or did aught that would prejudice the success of any gentleman who may be preferred to him by the Convention.—His competitors for the nomination have been treated with consistent courtesy through out—and his friends hold themselves ready to give to the nomination of the Democratic Convention, be he whom he may, a generous support.

And in requital for this, he is shamelessly aspersed by a few indiscreet persons and newspapers, who, like all detractors, love a shining mark for their envenomed shafts. The newspaper we speak of, which for the present "shall be nameless," for it is really not worth naming, now charges that the Pennsylvania Railroad, through its agents "in Harrisburg and elsewhere," are aiming to secure the nomination of Gen. Cass, and to "secure in him, a firm, fast friend to their monopoly." To be brief with this accusation, we will simply declare that it is as absurd as it is false. The astute heads who control that overshadowing monopoly will smile at this very "*soft* impeachment."—The Pennsylvania Railroad is nothing in politics if it be not radical. We do not think that any of its ruling people have voted for a Democratic candidate for Governor for the last nine years—certainly never since they have been suitors at Harrisburg for special legislation. Whatever enactments they may have procured—whatever advantages they may have received of the Governor and Assembly, have been granted by Radical Legislatures and Radical Governors. Was not Geary the man of their choice—yea, even of their choosing? And they like him so well that he will be nominated again. *He cannot be nominated against their wishes*—neither he nor any other Radical candidate. And all men know, despite the mean and false pretences of this factious newspaper, that if General Cass shall be nominated and elected, it will be in opposition to the influence of this great corporation. It is true he is a radical man, and an eminent and successful one. But he cannot be made a convenient instrument for any monopoly or combination of monopolies, and nobody has greater reason to be aware of this than the Pennsylvania Railroad. Therefore, the Radical candidate for Governor whoever he may be will receive the same support from that institution which such candidates have always had.

All true Democrats must depreciate and despise such warfare upon candidates before nomination, by papers pretending to claim the Democratic name. Why, if General Cass is to be denounced for being a successful Railroad President, whose labors have been given with unmixed devotion to the railroad interests of this State as against the competing railroad interests of New York, and of Maryland, why not denounce his chief competitor who is also a Railroad President, whose principal connections and business relations are in New York, and whose immense private fortune is to a great extent made tributary to a New York and not a Pennsylvania development. Yet to do this would be utterly unjust, and would meet with hearty rebuke from our candidate and his friends.

If there is anything that all honorable Democratic newspapers should avoid, it is these vile and bitter attacks on those gentlemen who are put forth by their friends for nomination. The endorsement of a candidate by any number of Democrats, should secure for his pretensions respectful consideration. And in the case of General Cass, his decided ability, his exalted private character, and his stainless political record make him, as we really believe, not only the best but the most available candidate. Still we have written no word of disparagement nor detraction of any rival candidate—for we believe with the journal that abuses the candidate we prefer that the "Democrats in the coming contest must nominate to win." But to defame and slander a candidate who is earnestly supported, and who the convention *may* select—to threaten disaffection, and to prophsy defeat—is *not* "the way to win." We ask nothing for our candidate but a free field and fair play—and this we shall render, as far as we are concerned, to all the candidates—and finally, we do hope and trust that this fighting in ambuscade—for these defamers do not openly name Gen. Cass—may, for the sake of fair dealing and the best hopes of the party, be abandoned. —*Pittsburg Post.*

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

—A Catholic priest has given a Charlestown savings bank two sums of $50 each, received through the confessional.

—An English gentleman has bought between 3,000 and 4,000 acres of land in Nelson county, Va., on which he intends to settle 800 English families.

—A boarding house, in Dayton, Ohio, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning. One man was burned to death, and several others were severely injured by the flames.

—A little daughter of Mr. T. B. Thompson, residing in Greenwood township, Perry county, about fourteen months old, while playing near a tub of water, fell in and was drowned.

—Augustine Patier, one of the oldest citizens of Easton, a native of France and one of the first Napoleon's soldiers, having been presented by the Emperor with a medal for gallantry in battle, died the other day.

—Mr. H. T. Helmbold, the well known druggist of New York, returns for this year an income of $152.205. All this comes from advertising. Mr. Helmbold's expenditures for advertising average over $10,000 a week.

—The Forrest *Press*, of Tuesday last, says: Within four miles of the Forrest *Press* office, D. G. Hunter has discovered what experienced California miners pronounce the genuine quartz rock; specimens can be seen at this office.

—On the 24th ult. the wife of Judge Jas. Human, of Humansville, Polk county, Missouri, gave birth to two boys and a girl, averaging over six pounds each. The father of this trio of babies is sixty-nine years of age, has had three wives, and is the paternal relative of some twenty-five children.

—The coal product of the United States for the year 1868 amounted to 35,500,000 tons, of which 22,000,000 tons were mined in Pennsylvania. The anthracite coal fields of this State embrace about 475 square miles of territory, while in the bituminous fields over 11,000 square miles are embraced.

—At Enterprise, Iowa, the other day, a woman entered a beer shop where her husband was loafing, and with a substantial piece of board, paddled him into the street. As they proceeded homeward she continued to apply the lumber industriously, and particularly emphatic was the last whack she gave him as he disappeared over the threshold.

—On Sunday afternoon at a quarter past three o'clock, the boiler of an oil well owned by J. W. Humphrey, three miles from Titusville, exploded, instantly killing the engineer and dangerously wounding the fireman.—The boiler was thrown a distance of one hundred yards.

—A woman calling herself "the female Blondin," while crossing a rope sixty feet high at a circus at Bolton, England, missed her footing, but in falling grasped the rope with her hands, and was afterwards caught by the crowd below. She escaped with little injury.

—An engine on the Burlington County Road exploded on Friday in Mount Holly, New Jersey, killing Charles L. Platt, fireman, and wounding the engineer, Edward Joyce, seriously. The engine bounded from the track and fell into a creek. The cars were much damaged.

—The temperance party, as a distinct political party, is making preparations for a fight in the coming fall elections. Conventions have been called in Maine, Iowa, Wisconsin, and Minnesota. In all of these States the Temperance men propose to run independent State tickets.

—Two citizens of Madison, Iowa, went out gunning one day last week. One of them, who was tipsy, and who wore spotted pantaloons, lay down to sleep, his legs hanging over a rock. The other chanced to pass that way, saw the spotted legs, and, mistaking them for a huge snake, fired a load of buckshot into them.

—The Fredericksburg, Va., *Herald* says: We saw last week a piece of solid gold worth, we suppose, $30, that had been picked up on the surface, since the recent rains, on the property owned by the White Hall Gold Mining Company. Some time since a piece worth $60 was picked up, and a short time before the war a piece worth $500 was found on Pulliam's farm, in the same gold belt.

—Dr. Rives of Prince George county, Va., while passing out of his house with his gun on his shoulder, was called back by his wife. He turned suddenly in answer to her voice, and in turning accidentally struck the gun against the door post, with such force as to cause its discharge. The entire load entered the body of Mrs. Rives, causing almost instant death. The pair had only been married a few days.

—Governor Wells, of Virginia, addressed a mob of negroes at West Point in that State, on Saturday, and in the course of his remarks reflected upon the character of a Mr. Douglass, who arose and denounced him as a liar. A terrible scene ensued, the negroes making an infuriated rush at Douglass and his friends, and beating them brutally. They were with difficulty extricated with their lives. All the parties were "loil."

—Robert H. Sayers, of the Lehigh Valley railroad company, with a number of prominent iron manufacturers in that section, are making preparations for a trip to England, for the purpose of studying the process of manufacturing steel rails. They sail on the 2nd of June. On their return they will establish a manufactory of this kind at Bethlehem, the construction of which has already begun.

—About six o'clock Friday evening Dr. Ritty, for many years a citizen of West Dayton, Ohio, committed suicide by shooting himself throught the heart. He had been for several days severely afflicted with neuralgia in the head, and the dreadful act was committed in a moment of temporary insanity. The doctor was about seventy years of age. He was for many years a Methodist missionary, and was extensively known throughout the West.

—One day recently eight or nine boys from nine to fourteen years of age arrived at Oak Station, on the Evansville and Crawfordville Railroad, on foot, having walked all the way from Western Missouri, at the rate of thirty miles a day. They were bound for Sullivan county, where they formerly lived. Their parents had died in Missouri, and the little orphans, left among strangers, bravely trudged back to the old home and old friends. The good people at Oak Station paid their fare to Sullivan.

—There has recently been some change in the arrangement of the officers of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Mr. J. Edgar Thompson is still at the head of the Company. The Vice Presidents have been increased to four, namely: Col. T. A. Scott, H. J. Lombart, Edmund Smith, (late Secretary,) and George B. Roberts. Joseph Lesley has been appointed Secretary; W. J. Howard, General Solicitor; Theodore Cuyler, General Counsel, and Major Firth is still continued as Treasurer.—*Phila. Ledger.*

THE "HEATED TERM" IS COMING!

The summer months will very soon be fairly ushered in with their sultry weather and long train of diseases. It is the season when nature can do little in recuperating our exhausted strength, and when we are required to fortify our physique against the dangers arising from the universal prevalency of sickness. The only true safeguard is that sure and reliable tonic and invigorator, MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS, which is indorsed and recommended by the medical faculty and by unnumbered thousands of persons in every city, town and village in the country, who have tested its remedial virtues, and by its aid preserved or recovered their health. It will purify the Blood and Secretions; cure every form of Indigestion, and afford immediate relief in cases of Dysentery, Cholic, Cholera, Cholera Morbus, and kindred diseases. Provide yourself now against a time of need. Delays are often dangerous.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been passed and filed in the Register's Office at Ebensburg, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, for confirmation and allowance, on Monday, the 7th day of June next, to wit:

The partial account of Peter Schara, Executor of Nicholas Weiland, late of Susquehanna township, deceased.

The first and partial account of John F. Neason, Administrator of John E. McDermitt, late of Chest township, deceased.

The account of Cecilia McGough, Administratrix of George McGough, late of Clearfield township, deceased.

The account of Francis Luther, Guardian of Ann Elizabeth Luther, (now Mrs. Elder.)

The account of William Wentz, Guardian of William Otho Stevens.

The account of Catharine Horner, Admx. of Daniel Horner, late of Taylor twp., dec'd.

The first and final account of F. Bearer, Guardian of Mary Magdalena and Catharine Gantner.

The first and final account of John H. Douglass and William Ivory, Executors of Mathew Ivory, late of Alleghany township, deceased.

The final account of Jacob Stoltz, Administrator of the estate of Peter Wible, late of Carroll township, dec'd, of the personal estate of said decedent.

The account of Ephraim Goughnour, Executor of Margaret Goughnour, late of Taylor township, deceased.

The account of Jonas F. Goughnour and John J. Varner, Administrators of John C. Goughnour, late of Taylor township, deceased.

The first and final account of Geo. M. Reade, Administrator of Dr. John M. Jones, late of Ebensburg, deceased.

The first and final account of Cyrus L. Pershing, Guardian of Arabella Welch, a minor child of Sylvester Welch, late of Frankfort, Kentucky, deceased.

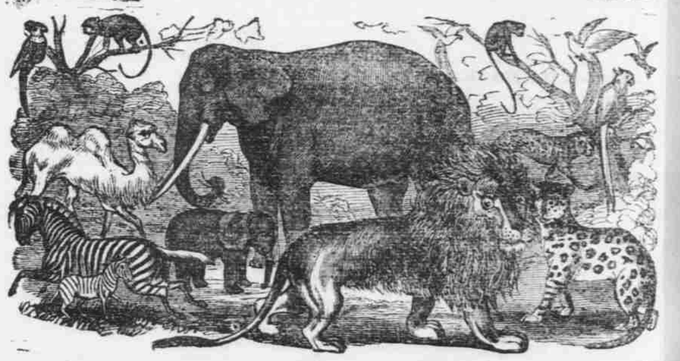
The first account of Mrs. Lydia Marbourg, Adm'x of Frederick Marbourg, late of Johnstown, deceased.

JAMES GRIFFIN, Register.
Register's Office, Ebensburg, May 8, 1869.-4t.

—The largest drum in the world passed through Springfield, Massachusetts, Friday, for the Boston jubilee. It is eight and a half feet in diameter; and inscribed "Let us have peace."

SUCCESSFUL, BECAUSE OF SUPERIOR MERIT.—MRS. S. A. ALLEN'S IMPROVED (*new style*) HAIR RESTORER OR DRESSING (*in one bottle.*) Every Druggist sells it. Price One Dollar.

THIS
MENAGERIE!
Is the Largest, Best Varied, and most Valuable Collection of
BEASTS AND BIRDS,
Ever concentrated in one establishment,
LESS DUPLICATIONS!
MORE DIFFERENT AND RARE SPECIES.
SPECIALTIES!
Are the WHITE BACTRIAN CAMEL; CHETAH LEOPARDS; an entire royal race of LIONS, LIONESS and WHELPS, a TRUE ABYSSINIAN ZEBRA; The Performing Asiatic, "QUEEN EMMA," and that morsel of Elephantine wonder, the smallest and youngest Calf ever imported, "TINY TIM." A SENEGAL SERVAL; THE TRUE IBEX OF THE ALPS; A STATELY PAIR OF ELK; THE SILKEN FLEECED LAMAS; AN ALASKAN BEAR and a MONSTER BENGAL TIGER.
In the Dens will be found;
African and Asiatic Lions, African and American Panthers, Brazilian Jaguars, Pumas, African and Asiatic Leopards, Striped Hyenas, Pacos, Grizzly, Black, Brown and Cinnamon Bears, Conguers, Spotted Hyenas, Zebus, Camels, Peccaries, Kangaroos, Bisons, Dromedaries, Wolves, Cranes, Ostriches, Lynx, Jackals, Ospreys, Pelicans, Eagles Vultures, Wombats, Foxes, all kinds of Carnivorous, Aquatic and Rich Plumed Foreign and Domestic Birds; and an unusually well selected assortment of Apes, Baboons, Monkeys and other Minor animals.
HERR CONCLIN,
While in the Dens of the
MONSTERS OF THE FOREST,
Will give a
THRILLING SENSATIONAL SCENE!
Illustrating the dominion of
"Master Man" Over Brutes.
A Zoological Marvel, A
Veritable Tartarian Cow-Allapus
Something never before witnessed in a state of captivity in this or any country.



THE CIRCUS
Has been so arranged that none but FIRST-CLASS ARTISTES will be employed in the EXHIBITIONS IN THE RING.
MAD'LLE JOSEPHINE,
Premiere Equestrienne.
MRS. LIBBIE SHOWLES,
Female Horse Preceptress.
MR. JAMES DEMORREST
Principal Equestrian,
MR. J. SHOWLES,
Antipodian Rider.
MR. JAMES HEMMINGS,
The Equestrian Cagliostro, and expert on the Running Globes.
MR. JAMES MAGUIRE.
The Best Clown of the age.
Messrs. BURROUGHS & BERDEAU,
A Duet of Musical Grotesques.
MR. JAMES WAMBOLD,
The Anatomical Paradox, or Multifarious Man
MR. JOHN CONKLIN,
A superior Mundane and Aërial Performer.
THE PROCESSION
Will at once show how
Extensive the Caravan,
Gigantic the Circus,
Mammoth the Menagerie
Really are.
THE CAR OF GOLD,
Containing DOUGLASS' CORNET BAND drawn by Ten Stylish Creams gaily caparisoned.
Two Elephants in Crimson Housings.
CAMELS AND DROMEDARIES.
20 Massive Dens
Emerald and Gilt, decorated with Elaborately Painted Views, each one drawn by
MATCHED DAPPLED GREYS!
Reined by Drivers in full Uniform; Waving Plumes from each Animals Head; Flags, Banners and Ensigns Flying from every Vehicle.
MUSIC and SPLENDOR in the line, Enthusiastic Cheers marking the course of
The Gorgeous Parade!
Which will terminate with an exposition of the CIRCUS RETINUE, with Blooded Horses, Ponies and Mules.
AN ENTIRE NEW OUTFIT!
Cost $300,500.
ALL FRESH, COSTLY AND SPLENDID.
Every iota made for the Second Annual Tour of this Grand Caravan.
TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY,
Afternoon and Night, at 1 1-2 and 7 1-2 P. M. Doors open at 1 and 6 1-2 P. M. in order to allow persons to see all the
LIVING WONDERS
ADMISSION.....50 CENTS
CHILDREN, 10 years of age and all under....25 CENTS

WILL EXHIBIT AT
Summitville, - - - Wednesday, June 9th
Hollidaysburg, - - Tuesday, " 8th
Johnstown, - - - Thursday, " 10th

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, : : : MAY 27, 1869.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.—The subscriber respectfully announces himself as a candidate for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

JAMES M. SINGER.

Jackson Township, May 27, 1869.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.—I am a candidate for nomination for the office of REGISTER AND RECORDER, subject to the decision of the next regular Democratic County Convention.

GEO. W. OATMAN.

Ebensburg, May 17, 1869.-tc.

REGISTER AND RECORDER.—The friends of the undersigned offer him as a candidate for REGISTER AND RECORDER of Cambria County, subject to the decision of the coming Democratic County Convention.

THOMAS McKERNAN.

Cambria City, May 17, 1869.-tc.

COUNTY TREASURER.—We are authorized to announce WILLIAM LINTON, of Johnstown, as a candidate for the office of COUNTY TREASURER, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

A CARD.—I take this method of announcing to the voters of Cambria county that I am a candidate for the office of COUNTY COMMISSIONER, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention If nominated and elected I hope I shall be able, by a faithful performance of the duties of the office, to satisfy the people that their confidence has not been misplaced.

PATRICK DONOUGHE.

Allegheny Tp., May 13, 1869.-5t*

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

"No better than we expected" has turned up missing, but we hope to find it and publish it for the gratification of the author next week. Perhaps he will send us another copy.

Several attempts at burglary were recently made in Greensburg and Ludwick, but in every instance the burglars were frightened from their purpose before they had secured any booty.

A watchman on the Pa. R. R, named Stultz, was knocked down and run over by a freight train at Hillside, Westmoreland county, a couple of weeks since, and one of his legs was cut off and other serious injuries inflicted upon him. His life is despaired of.

A large supply of sugars, teas and syrups have just been received by M L. Oatman, which will be sold very cheap. Go and see the assortment and learn the prices, and you will be convinced that like articles have never heretofore been offered so low in this community.

The dead locust trees along the sidewalks in our town, that were once shade trees but will never be so again, ought to be cut down by the owners of property, and if they neglect or refuse to do so then the borough authorities should take the matter in hand. They present a very unsightly appearance when contrasted with the few green trees remaining.

By reference to our list of "real estate transfers" it will be seen that the Cambria Iron Company has purchased Conemaugh Furnace, near Johnstown, for a sum probably not exceeding one-third of its original cost. The furnace has been a losing investment to all who have had anything to do with it, but it is now in the right hands to pay if there is any pay in it.

Thomas Riley, employed as a repair hand on the Pa. R. R., was killed by the express train near Wilmore station, this county, on Tuesday evening of last week. He was walking on the track and was not discovered in time to prevent the engine from striking him. The deceased was aged about forty-five years, and we believe was a man of family, although absent from them.

An insane man came in on the Carrolltown road on Saturday, passed through town and wended his way towards Loretto, occasionally stopping in his journey to give vent to the most pleasing strains of vocal music, in which he imitated the warblings of birds and the cries of wild beasts and domestic animals. He was certainly gifted in this way, and must be a professional actor run mad.

The stress upon our columns this week has prevented the publication of our Altoona letter, but as "T I M." is a good natured and most obliging friend, we feel sure that he will not be offended at this unavoidable omission. Anyhow, to use his own language, "local news is as scarce as honest politicians," and his letter will therefore be none the worse for the delay of its publication until next week.

A white man named Wilson and a negro named Wm. Clark, escaped from the Indiana jail on Tuesday night of last week, and their whereabouts thus far has not been ascertained. They by some means obtained a file and filed off the hasp of their cell door, and then walking out into the jail, succeeded in gaining the top of the wall and let themselves down on the other side by means of a rope made of their blankets.

A lad named Callihan, employed in the coal mines of Dysert & Co., at Lilly's station, this county, was killed, on Tuesday of this week, by the falling in upon him of an immense mass of coal. A blast which had been set off failed to bring down the quantity of coal expected, and young Callihan entered the mine to ascertain the cause, when the coal caved in upon him, injuring him so terribly that he died in half an hour after being extricated.

Capt. Harry C. Tester, editor Middleport, (O.) Press, the gentleman whom we noticed last week as having taken for wife one of the fair daughters of the Buckeye State, paid us a very brief visit on Thursday last. Were glad to meet him and glad to congratulate him on the happy event in which he has recently played so conspicuous a part, albeit it makes us fell that old age is coming on apace when we consider that our "carrier boy" of a few years ago has enrolled himself in the grand army of happy benedicts.

Two men named James Wilson and William Congden were arrested near Bedford on Wednesday of last week, on suspicion of having been implicated in the robbery of the Clearfield County National Bank, on the night of the 12th inst., and upon being searched the stolen bonds and $142 in greenbacks were found upon their persons. It is supposed there was a third party connected with the burglary, and that he has fled with the balance of the missing funds. The two men arrested have been safely lodged in the Clearfield jail.

The suggestion of the name of Thad. Banks, Esq., of Hollidaysburg, as the Democratic legislative candidate in Blair county, has been hailed with the utmost enthusiasm, and the hope seems to be cherished by all his political friends that the selection of such an honest and able man as Mr. Banks will not fail to secure the triumph of democratic principles in that benighted radical stronghold. He should be nominated by all means, and if integrity and ability availeth aught, his election will follow as a matter of course.

Mr. James Kelly and wife, who left this county and settled in California almost fifteen years ago, paid our town a brief visit during the present week, having included their old Cambria home in an extended tour which they are now making, and which takes in a sojourn in Ireland, France and Italy before they return nextSpring to their home on the golden shores of the Pacific.—Mr. Kelly has prospered exceedingly during his residence in California, and we believe he is now reckoned among the wealthiest men in that State.

Some three weeks ago "Chaplain" W. T. Davis concluded the third year of his service as mail messenger between the post office and railroad depot at this place, and during all that time he has faithfully, promptly and satisfactorily performed his arduous duties, regardless of inclement weather or other adverse circumstances. If it be true that the "laborer is worthy of his hire," then indeed has the "Chaplain" earned his scanty pittance, and time it is that his reward should be increased much beyon l his present wages.

Dr. Thomas F. Campbell, late of Altoona, a practising physician in Johnstown, died in the latter place on Sunday morning, 16th inst., from an overdose of morphine which he had taken to allay a painful attack of neuralgia of the heart and lungs, a disease to which he had for some time been subject. Mr. C. was a young man of excellent character and more than ordinary ability, and his sad and sudden death has awakened the sympathies of the entire community in behalf of the young wife and one child thus left husbandless and fatherless. His remains were taken to Greensburg for interment.

The agent for Bryan's grand circus and menagerie, failing to obtain accommodations here for the ladies, men and horses connected with that mammoth establishment, owing to the fact that they wished to exhibit during the second week of Court, when our public houses are all filled to their utmost capacity, has been forced to advertise an exhibition, day and night, at Summitville, on the 9th June to be followed by a like exhibition at Johnstown on the day following. It is probable that an excursion train will run from this place on that day, but of this we shall know more by next week.

Week before last was very prolific of accidents in and about Johnstown. A man named Colligan had one of his arms broken, his head crushed and was otherwise severely injured in one of the Cambria Iron Co.'s mines on Wednesday. John M. Reese and a boy named Watkins were dangerously burned by an explosion of fire damp in one of the coal mines in Cambria borough on Saturday. Young Watkins has since died of his injuries. On the same day an old lady named Shehan, said to be 102 years of age, while attempting to cross the Pa. R. R. track at the Johnstown station, was struck by a freight engine and so severely injured that she died in a day or two after the accident.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—The following Deeds and Assignments have been left for record at the office of James Griffin, Esq., Register, during the week ending May 22d:

John Quirk to Rose Coughlin—lot in Cambria borough, March 25, 1867,.....$200.

Geo. S King and wife to Wm. Kernan—lot and improvements in Johnstown borough, June 15, 1868,.....$1,150.

R. Durach and wife to Simon Metzler.—lot and improvements in Conemaugh borough—April 4, 1868,.....$1,600.

Justine Eichorn and wife to August Faring—lot and improvements in Johnstown borough, April 23, 1869,.....$1,060.

Abraham Angus et. al. to Daniel W. and Jacob Angus—163 acres in Taylor township, April 17, 1869,.....$2,100.

Jonathan Bumgardner and wife and Tobias Lehman and wife to Geo. W. Richardson—91 ac., 72 per., in Richland tp., Apr. 1, '67,.$150

John Smith and wife to Israel Goughnour—204 acres and 150 perches in Richland township, March 20, 1869,.....$100.

Jos. Rose and wife to John Rose—175 acres in Richland township, April 10, 1861,..$150

Murray Hoffman, jr., to H A. Gates—50 ac and 32 per. in White twp., Dec. 2, 1864,.$300.

Lionel W. Weld and wife to David Hollis—91 acres and 155 perches in White township, May 11, 1869,.....$300.

Jonathan Berkeybile and wife to John P. Lehman—69 acres and improvements in Conemaugh township, March 27, 1869,.....$3,900.

Peter Elmire and wife to Edward D. Evans—house and lot in Wilmore, May 18, '69.$550.

Sewis Derner and wife to Ahlum Cope—lot and improvements in Conemaugh borough, May 7, 1869,.....$2,000

Mabel G. McConnell and Margaret Headrick to Ahlum Cope—lot in Conemaugh borough, May 15, 1869,.....$500

John Nitzell to Lewis R. Edwards and Rob't Lytle: 187 acres and 40 perches in Cambria township, May 19, 1869,.....$200.

Daniel McKee and wife to Mathias and Philip Biter: 160 acres and 34 perches in Summerhill township, Jan. 5, 1852,.....$640.

Edward Hodges and wife to Cambria Iron Company: 365 acres of land and all that property known as the Conemaugh Furnace, situate in Taylor twp., April 20, 1869,...$22,000

Geo. W. Hodges and wife to Cambria Iron Company: 258 acres and 156 perches in Conemaugh township, April 24, 1869,.....$2,000.

James Condron and wife to Lewis Reese: lot and improvements in Johnstown borough, March 2, 1869,.....$1,700.

Mich'l Smalsel and wife to Archib'd Makin: 8 acres in Conemaugh tp., April 8, 1868,.$800

A. Mahan and wife to F. Devlin: 16 acres 155 per., in Conemaugh tp., Mar. 22, '69.$800.

James Slattery and wife to Pat'k Dowling: lot and improvements in Cambria borough, February 27, 1869,.....$1,200.

Paul Klinemyer and wife to Aloysius Marks: 103 acres in Blacklick tp., May 8, '69,.$1,000.

Walter B. Nutter, Attorney in fact for Henry Nutter and wife, to Simon P. McMullin: 53 acres and 88 perches in Clearfield township, December 1, 1868,.....$300.

DRUGS AND LITERATURE.—Capt. James Murray, the veteran member of the firm of Lemmon & Murray, dealers in drugs, medicines, dye stuffs, books, stationary, jewelry, and notions generally, has recently returned from his visit to the Eastern cities, and this energetic and deserving firm have now displayed upon their shelves and in their show cases a most magnificent and certainly a very immense stock of goods in their line, to which the attention of buyers is respectfully solicited. The assortment comprises the most popular patent medicines manufactured, besides an almost endless variety of medicinal preparations of all kinds, books without number, stationery in profusion, jewelry of the best quality, cigars and tobacco of the most approved brands, anp hundreds of other articles which are needed by all classes of the community. The stock is certainly an ample and superb one, and as moderate prices is the watchword of this accommodating and popular firm, we hope to see them prosper accordingly.

WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED, BOUND IN THREE VOLUMES.—We have received from the publishers, G. & C. Merriam, Springfield, Mass., a copy of their recent revised edition of Webster's Quarto Dictionary.—This recent edition contains the latest improvements on the original work, embodying the results of the assiduous and intelligent labors of a large corps of scholars in the various departments of learning. It is certain that few works, evincing *such thorough and accurate editorial supervision*, have ever appeared from the American press.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

DECORATING THE SOLDIERS' GRAVES.—At a meeting of surviving soldiers and citizens, held at the Court House on Thursday evening last, the following order of exercises was adopted for the approaching decoration of the graves of those fallen heroes who "sleep their last sleep" in the cemeteries in this vicinity.

The procession will form at the Court House on Saturday, May 29th, and be ready to move at 1 o'clock, p. m. It will be composed of one division, to be under the command of a Chief Marshal and two Assistants. The cavalcade will pass over such routes to the different cemeteries as the Chief Marshal and his Assistants may hereafter designate, in the following order:

Martial Band.
American Flag, draped in mourning.
Officiating Clergymen.
Decorating Committee of Thirty Young Ladies under direction of an Assistant Marshal.
Grand Division, in such order as the Chief Marshal shall direct.

Each member of the Decorating Committee will be provided with a boquet or wreath of flowers, which they will deposit on the graves in such manner as the Assistant Marshal in charge shall direct.

The graves in the different cemeteries to be visited will be previously marked with small flags by a committee appointed for that purpose.

The ceremonies at the cemeteries will consist of vocal music by a band of vocalists who have kindly volunteered their services, an oration appropriate to the occasion, and prayer.

During the progress of these ceremonies it is earnestly requested that merchants and mechanics will close their several stores and workshops, and that all will participate in the ceremonies. It is also hoped that the pastors of the different churches and the Court House janitor will make arrangements to have the bells tolled at proper intervals during the progress of the procession.

The ministers of the various churches of this borough are respectfully requested to preach memorial sermons to their respective congregations, at their usual time for holding services, on Sabbath morning, May 30th.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS—Samuel W. Davis, J. D. Barkley, A. Y. Jones, William H. Sechler, John E. Scanlan.

SUCKED IN.—Jonah wrote to his father after the whale had first swallowed him, stating that he thought he had found a good opening for a young to go into the oil business; but afterwards wrote for money to bring him home, stating that he had been "sucked in," as M. L. Oatman had secured the right to manufacture the "non-explosive Metropolitan Oil," which was giving such universal satisfaction to parties burning oil that they would have no other. The right to manufacture and sell this celebrated oil in Cambria county is held by our friend Oatman, who will dispose of township, store and individual rights very low. He is constantly manufacturing this oil, and parties can get it at his store either by the quart or gallon, and can also buy from him the best flour and the freshest groceries of all kinds offered for sale in this market. There is no discount on the goods sold by Oatman, but a heavy discount on prices, which are always cheaper than the cheapest.

HEARTH AND HOME.—This excellent fireside weekly, now in the fifth month of its existence, has won its way to a popularity and patronage annals of unequalled in the newspaper literature. It is the most perfect and valuable depository of agricultura', literary, scientific and general knowledge we have ever perused, and should find a welcome in every household. The last number commenced a fine story, by Mrs. Edson, entitled "Marrying Well," which promises to be fully worth the price of a year's subscription. Address Hearth & Home, 37 Park Row, New York.

THE MATRIMONIAL MARKET has been extremely active for the past few days, quite a number of marriageable daughters having changed hands. We can only hope that the several investments will prove pleasant and profitable ones, and that our young friends will not forget that very many of the indispensable articles for housekeeping can be purchased at the extensive establishment of Geo. Huntley, and that too at as fair prices as from any other dealer. Stoves, tinware, table cutlery, wood and willow ware, groceries, and hundreds of other things comprised in Mr. H 's stock, you will need with which to commence business.

TRY FRY!—In a half column advertisement in our paper to-day everybody is invited to "try Fry when they want to buy" any of the thousand and one articles comprised in the new and magnificent stock of goods just opened by him in the rooms recently occupied by R. H. Tudor. The ladies say that such a handsome and complete stock has never heretofore been offered for their inspection and purchase in this community, and Mr. Fry is determined to merit a liberal patronage by selling his goods at wonderful low prices. Buy from Fry and you may rely on getting a fair return for your money.

THE weddings are all over, the big show is not going to exhibit in this place, decoration day will soon be passed, and then the only cause of excitement which will be left our people is the very agreeable sensation which all can experience in purchasing dress goods and dry goods, carpets, furniture, groceries, etc., at the renowned cheap cash store of Shoemaker & Co., where there is stock enough to suit rich and poor alike.—Go and see, and go at once.

"SUITED TO A T."—If you appreciate a good cup of tea, or a palatable cup of coffee, don't forget that V. S. Barker is sole agent for the Empire Tea and Coffee Company of New York, and in purchasing from him you can not only save from 25 to 50 per cent., but you may depend upon getting a better article than has heretofore been sold in this community. Examine the prices and test the qualities of these Teas and Coffees before purchasing elsewhere.

TAKE HEED!—In five more weeks R. R. Davis designs to remove to the rooms in the East Ward formerly occupied by E. Hughes & Co., and from now until that time he proposes to sell all articles comprised in his stock at FIRST COST, in order to lighten the labors of moving. Everybody needs what Davis has for sale, and all classes should avail themselves of the opportunity now afforded for securing good goods at extraordinary low prices.

BE THOU CLAD!—Passing J. J. Murphy's store our eye caught the above notice, and we just thought it was right. To be clad means to be clothed, and to be clothed means to go to J. J. Murphy's Star (*) Clothing Store and buy about fifty dollars worth of under clothes and over clothes and gent's furnishing goods generally. Clinton street, Johnstown, Pa. New stock received.

J. MURPHY & Co., and good company at that, because they keep good dry goods at their rooms in the Honston House, Johnstown. They receive new goods constantly by Adams' Express and otherwise, which they sell very cheap, and no charge for a little talk and showing goods. They are emphatically the cleverest dry goods firm in town, and you can make it pay to buy from them.

SURPRISE THEM.—If you want to surprise your neighbors and "cut a dash" this summer, just go to Oak Hall and buy a suit of clothes, made of material that is entirely new and never before seen in this part of the country, and cut in the very height of fashion. Cheap for cash and warranted to beat anything made for beauty of style and finish.

Local Correspondence.

JOHNSTOWN, May 24, 1869.

Dear Freeman—Here I am sitting alone, except that a few mice come out and trip over the floor just for company. We have honorable mice; they will steal a little, just the crumbs from a *rich* man's table, and I feel *rich* to-day, but I never knew one to back bite or slander. We have some rats, too, but they are not like Johnstown rats generally. Their depredations are bold and open—no meanness in their acts.

I am writing on the kitchen table. A cocoa nut is lying before me, and two oranges at my right. These and my old hat and a box containing pens, ink and some paper, are all the furniture of my laboratory.

We had a frost last night, but the sun is shining finely now, and one would hardly know that *Jack* had been *bobbing* around.

We have strangers who are in the parlor and of course we have to take the second *cabin*. That is always the way. Big fish eat little ones.

We attended the Literary Society on last Monday night and we were admitted to the privileges of the floor, with but one dissenting voice, and strange to say, his name was *Freeman*.

We have been perambulating the town for locals and cannot find any, except that the old graveyard, south of the Union School House, is in a very dilapidated condition.—Hence, it is suggested that the borough authorities take charge of the lot, sell the ground, remove the remains of the deceased to Sandy Vale Cemetery, and then sell the lots to pay expenses.

The Soldier's Orphans were here and held an exhibition. Two hundred and four answered to their names at roll call. Some were *laughing* and some were *otherwise*.—The journey through the country and on the road bore down upon their constitutions, but they went through and earned over five hundred dollars, which will go to the benefit of somebody. The Soldier's Orphan School would be a good institution if the *spirit* of the law was carried out to the *letter*, but it isn't.

We have had two or three exhibitions here of the "negro minstrel" style, but they were not well attended. Yesterday another negro minstrel troupe arrived. We do not know what luck awaits them. Mimicking darkies does not pay now-a-days.

Since the Orphans have been here we have wondered what becomes of the four hundred thousand dollars that the Legislature appropriates annually for their support. It is said that one orphan is allowed only one hundred and forty dollars a year.—Though that is more than our children get, yet it is not by any means the share of one orphan out of that vast amount. We are just collecting some statistics on the subject.

The weather here is various and beautiful and bland, sprinkled with frost and sunshine just for variety. If the days keep on succeeding each other for a while we will soon have summer.

Next Saturday is set apart here as a day to be spent in decorating the graves of soldiers with flowers. The patriotic dead should be in some way remembered, and this way is perhaps as good as any.

Considerable excitement was created on the public square, last Saturday evening, by the vending of *patriotic* whistles. The gentlemen who sold them could whistle like a bird, and squeal like a pig. The latter did not excite much wonder as he looked so much like an adult pig himself.

It is generally conceded now that there will be no railroad built this summer to Somerset, as one Stutzman has agreed to walk the territory over as fast as a train could possibly go.

Several persons hereabouts who used to act as clerks on election boards, have declared that they will not perform duty next fall under three dollars per day, as both elections are held on one day. This is perfectly right. When two days work are done in one, men ought to get two days pay.

The excitement about the District Court has almost subsided, though there is occasionally a little jealousy manifested by some, otherwise clever folks, in regard to anything said on the subject. Hence we have kept entirely aloof on the question.

A lady called at a butcher shop on Saturday and averred that she had bought some meat from said butcher—to wit, namely, a slice of ham—which was infested with *trichea*, or something else offensive to the taste and smell. She said they ate it, but wouldn't do so again. The committee on O. S. is about to investigate the *matter*.

A new wholesale liquor store is coming to town; also a new hardware store. The liquor business of the place must be increasing, or there would be no demand for new firms. More work for the *committee*.

The Sabbath day is not kept very holy about town. We see parties going out every Sunday, seeking pleasure. The wealthy go in carriages and the poor on foot. We see crowds of boys playing ball all day just under their parents' noses.—Where is the *committee?*

A donation of one hundred and fifty dollars was made by sundry individuals to the *orphans* while here. This is right, and we wish it had only extended to one of our nearest neighbors who has to work day and night to keep his large family. He is literally killing himself, working and losing sleep, but it must be done.

ROB ROY.

(Communicated.)

FOUND DROWNED—In a spring in the suburbs of Fairview, Jackson township, the offspring of one of the most intelligent and worthy citizens of the vilage. The body was not discovered for several hours after it had fallen in, but looked quite natural—so much so that its parentage was readily recognized by the person who found it, on account of the great resemblance it had to its father. The community lament his loss deeply, for had he been spared he would in all probability made as useful and intelligent man as his father, for even in his extreme youth he had all of his father's qualifications and virtues. His bereaved friends have the sympathy of the community.

A FROST.—Leopold & Brother, who assist one another, have laid in a lot of clothing which they bought very cheap in the east, and will sell for at least ten per cent. below any others we know in of this thriving town and never once frown on those who buy; so you had better try, each one and all, to repair to Oak Hall, where you will find prices to suit your mind. Johnstown, Pa.

LOST BOY.—This is the title of a new poster by L. Cohen & Brother, New York Clothing Hall, Main street, Johnstown. The lost boy was found to have a large amount of clothing which he bought at L. Cohen & Brother's, where everything in the clothing line may be procured, cheaper than the cheapest. The prodigal son has returned a large profit to the advertisers.

OH MY!—When one becomes wearied he usually cries, *Oh My!* but when he is rapturously delighted he cries Oh Mayer! Oh Mayer sells dry goods at the Opera House building on Main street, Johnstown and Oh my! but Mayer does sell the handsomest goods. Oh my! do call on L. Mayer and get a neat dress. New goods arrive daily.

MARRIED,

GLASS—FOX.—At Summitville, Pa., on Tuesday, May 25th, by Rev. Thomas Ryan, Mr. THOMAS GLASS, of Ebensburg, and Miss ALICE FOX, of Washington township.

The printer man is so overwhelmed with wedding gifts just now that he can scarcely find words with which to express his gratitude and well wishes, and therefore hopes that his feelings rather than his expressions will be accepted as most befitting the happy occasion. With the above announcement came a large and luscious pound cake, and as all such delicacies are to be eaten, the typos of the office and the big and little folks of the household went to work with a will to accomplish that pleasant task, and as the sweet morsels went down the thoughts of all were busy in mentally wishing to our young friend Tom and his fair and amiable bride a long life of unalloyed felicity.—We congratulate Tom on the happy result of his *Fox* chase, and sincerely hope that the fair creature whom he has promised to love and cherish while life lasts will ever find in her own *Glass* the reflection of all those charms and graces which pleases the eye and gladdens the hearts of all true and devoted spouses, and makes them cling more fondly and affectionately to their chosen mates.

SHOEMAKER—MYERS.—On Tuesday evening last, May 25th, at St. Patrick's church in this place, by Rev. R. C. Christy, Mr. HARRY A. SHOEMAKER and Miss LYDIE MYERS, all of Ebensburg.

We take pleasure in announcing this week the consummation of so many matrimonial alliances, but it is with double distilled gratification that we congratulate our most estimable friends, Harry and Lydie, upon the happy event in which they have acted so conspicuous a part. We number among our acquaintances none whom we could wish to see more prosperous and happy in life, and we are sure that the "union of hearts and union of hands" which now binds them together in that holy bond which death alone can sever, has secured for them a blessing from on high which cannot fail to cheer and comfort them amid those trials and vicissitudes which are more or less the lot of all who journey through this "vail of tears." To the kind wishes of the numerous friends who feel an interest in their welfare, we add the sincere hope that peace, plenty and prosperity may ever be with them through life, and that

Their future may always, as it doth now to them seem,
Be as sweet as ripe strawberries all smothered in cream.

POWERS—PARRISH.—At Carrolltown, on Tuesday May 25th, 1869, by Rev. Benno Hegele, Mr. JOHN POWERS, of Susquehanna township, and Miss LILLIE PARRISH, of Carroll township.

Here it is again—another clever fellow led captive to the hymenial altar. But why should we wonder, when the bright eyes and winning smiles of a whole *Parrish* were arrayed against him, leaving nothing for him to do but to strike his colors and submit to the destiny which all his *Powers* seemed incapable of preventing or even delaying. Well, Johnny, we hope you will bear the happiness you have sought and found with the best grace possible, and that you and the trusting fair one whom you have chosen for your companion and helpmate may pass peacefully and joyously down the rugged pathway of life, and find never-ending felicity at last in the world to come.

FLYNN—FLANAGAN.—At St. Augustine, on Tuesday, May 18th, by Rev. E. Burns, Mr. JOHN FLYNN, of Lock Haven, and Miss ANNIE FLANAGAN, of Bell's Mills, Blair county.

Not only because it is just and meet to do so, but because the happy bride, room has kindly remembered the printer in the most acceptable manner, we take occasion to add our congratulations and good wishes to the many now pouring in upon our young friends, and sincerely hope that their brightest visions of future happiness and prosperity may be more than realized, and that no cloud of adversity may ever even for a moment cast its dark shadow athwart their pathway, now so liberally strewn with the bright roses of promise. May their happiness here be life-enduring and their felicity hereafter never ending.

ROBINSON—ROBERTS.—At the residence of the bride's parents in this place, on Tuesday, 25th inst., by Rev. B. M. Kerr, Mr. GEORGE ROBINSON and Miss AGGIE ROBERTS, all of Ebensburg.

DIED,

BOLAND.—At Summitville, at 12 o'clock on Sunday, May 16th, Mr. THOMAS W. BOLAND, aged 30 years and 6 months.

The deceased was born in the vicinity of his death, and was throughout life highly esteemed for his noble qualities of mind and heart. Besides receiving the full benefits of a common school education, he graduated with first class honors (for rapid progress in his studies and most exemplary conduct) at St. Francis' College, Loretto. Up to this time he was somewhat delicate in constitution, but after his retirement from school he became stout and robust, and ere long determined upon a trip to the sunny South. After a brief sojourn in Arkansas, however, he lost his health and was forced to return home, where he soon regained his strength, and shortly afterwards became connected with the firm of Ceolbroth, Hasty & Co., of Hollidaysburg, in the manufacture of "shook," of which business his mechanical genius and persevering industry soon made him the master. In this business he continued for about eight years, and made it profitable. At the age of twenty eight he married a most estimable and beautiful young lady, but ere one month of wedded bliss had passed away his fair young bride was attacked by that fell destroyer, consumption, and within eight days of the first anniversary of their wedding her pure spirit passed from earth forever. The stricken husband, himself severely afflicted with bronchitis, was, in November last, advised by his physician to visit Cuba for the benefit of his health. This advice he complied with, but had not much more than reached that tropical climate when he contracted the bilious fever, which confined him to bed for four months. Recovering sufficiently to undertake the journey, he set out for his parental home, and reached it only to linger six weeks longer, when death put an end to his earthly sufferings—one year and four months exactly having intervened between the death of his wife and his own demise. Throughout his illness the deceased bore his sufferings with the utmost patience and resignation. He retained his senses to the last moment, and calling his friends to his bedside, told them his last hour had come and bid them all a final and affectionate farewell. He died as he had lived, a moral, exemplary and faithful member of the Catholic Church, and there is every reason to believe that he has been called to enjoy the rewards of a well spent life.—His early death is sincerely regretted by a large circle of relatives and friends. May he rest in peace.

SWOPE.—At her residence in Chest township, on Friday, 21st instant, Mrs. MARY J., wife of John M. Swope, Esq., and daughter of F. Cooper, Esq., aged 33 years.

The deceased possessed in an eminent degree those special graces of mind and character which never fail to endear the possessor to all with whom they hold social intercourse. As a daughter and sister the remembrance of her kind and loving disposition will long linger in the memories of those from whom death has so rudely parted her, and as a wife the almost heart broken grief of her husband (to whom she was married less than one year) is the most befitting testimonial that can be offered to the many noble qualities manifested during her brief but happy married life. Her remains, with those of her infant daughter, the innocent cause of her early demise, were followed to their final resting place, on Saturday last, by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives, friends and neighbors. May her soul rest in peace.

HUDSON.—At the residence of his father, at Hemlock, on Friday, 21st inst., after a brief illness, JAMES HUDSON, aged about 19 years.

Thus has passed from time to eternity, in the fullness of youthful vigor, a young man, kind, affable and obliging by nature, and one who was always ready and willing to lend a helping hand to the distressed, to add his mite in surport of the poor and needy, and to assist in his humble way in adding to the comforts of all classes. His social qualities, moral habits and pleasing manners endeared him to the entire community in which he lived, every member of which deeply sympathizes with his relatives and sincerely mourns his death. We hope he has passed from the troubles and vicissitudes of this life to everlasting glory in those realms "where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest." May he rest in peace. P.

STORM.—In Washington twp., on Thursday night last, May 20th, 1869, Dr. DAVID T. STORM, aged about 75 years.

Dr. Storm, we believe, was born in Maryland and studied medicine in Baltimore, but removed to this county nearly half a century ago, where he married and has remained almost permanently ever since. He was a man of regular habits and great stability of character, and in the practice of his profession he was eminently successful while he pursued that calling. He served in the capacity of Prothonotary and afterwards as County Commissioner, and it is due to his memory to say that he performed the duties of both offices with marked ability, honesty and strict regard for the interests of the people whom he served. Requiescat in pace.

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That at the Dry Goods Store and Grocery
Just opened by A. G. Fry,
On the street called High,
More for your money you can buy
Than from any one else, far or nigh.

I design to keep a full line of DRESS GOODS of the most desirable styles and textures, and as I am determined to sell as CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST, I respectfully solicit a call from all the ladies, and especially from those who have been in the habit of visiting other places to make their purchases. Whatever you want to buy, be sure first to try the store of A. G. FRY.

Ebensburg, May 27, 1869.

TRIAL LIST.—List of Causes set down for trial at a Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Ebensburg for Cambria county, commencing on Monday, the 7th day of June, A. D. 1869:

FIRST WEEK.

McCoy	vs.	Litzinger.
Kern, et al.	vs.	Fleck.
Black	vs.	Simpson.
Rowley	vs.	McHugh.
Allison	vs.	Myers, et. al.
McGonigle	vs.	Burk, et. al.
Scott	vs.	McGlade and Pa. R. R. Company.
Brown	vs.	Black.
Swope	vs.	Flynn, et al.
Porter's adm'r.	vs.	John Porter.
Hobart	vs.	Flynn, et. al.
Boro. of Johnstown	vs.	Trefiz.
Same	vs.	John Jones.
Vickroy	vs.	Ryckman,
Eager	vs.	Dunn.

SECOND WEEK.

Muncy Hoffman, jr.	vs	McDermitt's.
Benjamin F. Bell.	vs.	Anthony Swires.
Fronheiser	vs.	Riblett.
Snyder's	vs.	Michael Plott.
Henry Walters' use.	vs.	George R Slick.
Cambria Iron Co.	vs.	Barker's heirs.
George Snyder	vs.	Weakland & Thomas

J. K. HITE, Prothonotary.

Prothy's Office, Ebensburg, May 13, 1869.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE!—Letters of Administration on the estate of CONRAD EAGER, late of Washington township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Cambria county, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified that payment must be made without delay, and those having claims against the same are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN EAGER, } Adm'rs.
JOHN SHARBAUGH, }

Summitville, May 20, 1869.-6t*

SHERIFF'S SALES!—By virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Expon. and Al. Vend. Expon., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House in Ebensburg, on MONDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF JUNE next, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following real estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of Dominic McHugh, of, in and to the following described real estate, to wit: A piece or parcel of land situate in Taylor township, Cambria county, fronting on the Johnstown and Ebensburg road, adjoining lands of Isaac Bates, Henry Goughnour, and others, containing 4 acres, more or less, all cleared, having thereon erected a one story plank house, now in the occupancy of the said Dominic McHugh. Also, a piece or parcel of land situate in Taylor township, Cambria county, fronting on the Johnstown and Ebensburg road on the east, adjoining lot of Martin McHugh, Ephraim Goughnour, and others, containing 2 acres, more or less, all cleared an under fence. Also, a certain piece or parcel of land situate in Millville borough, Cambria county, fronting on a street on the west, adjoining lot of Wm. Morgan on the north, and by heirs of Isaac Parfit on the south and land of Cambria Iron Company on the east, having thereon erected a one and a half story plank house, with basement, now in the occupancy of Arthur Doran, Jacob Lightner, James Slemmer and Andrew Nipple.—Also, one other one and a half story plank house, with basement, now in the occupancy of John Quill, Larry O'Connell, Dan Sullivan, Mrs. Allen, Cornelius M'Cartney and Patrick Green. Also, one other one and half story plank house, now in the occupancy of Timothy Donavan. Also, one other one and a half story plank house, now in the occupancy of Patrick Garrigan. Also, one other one and a half story plank house, now in the occupancy of ——— Trinlin. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of James Littell and Wm. H. Mechling, trading as Littell & Mechling.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of William Bradley, of, in and to a piece or parcel of land situated in Washington township, Cambria county, adjoining lands of Hugh O'Donald, heirs of Edward Donaldson, and others, containing 1 acre, more or less, having thereon erected a one and a half story plank house and plank stable, now in the occupancy of the said Wm. Bradley. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of R. L. Johnston.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Mary Eigenbrode, of, in and to a lot of ground situate in Carrolltown borough, Cambria co., fronting 66 feet on Main street and extending back 200 feet to an alley, adjoining lot of Albin Oswald on the north and an alley on the south, having thereon erected a two story frame house and frame stable, now in the occupancy of the said Mary Eigenbrode. Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Benj. Wertner, Geo. Krook, Julius Steich and L. Schroth.

ALSO, all the right, title and interest of Nicholas Nagle, of, in and to a lot of ground situate in Carrolltown borough, Cambria county, fronting 66 feet on St. Mary's street

THINGS WORTH KNOWING.

USEFUL HINTS.—Put a few live fish into wells, if angle worms infest them.

Toads are capital helpers in taking care of vine patches.

New milch cows should be carded daily. They like it, and it pays.

Rich milk is not the best for calves.—A butter cow is not a good stock cow.

Insects do not infest very late sown peas as they do early ones.

Stewed pumpkin as a poultice has been found of great value in reducing inflammatory rheumatism.

The potato is a great absorber of potash. Therefore wood ashes are a good manure for it.

Experiments seem to prove that fence posts set up the reverse way from which they grow, will last much the longer.

Calcined plaster is as good a fertilizer as the uncalcined, but it is usually wasted after its use in the arts.

Some one says if salt is kept before a horse in the stable, he will not gnaw his manger. Trial will tell.

Root crops, not grain, are the things for young orchards. They do not steal so much tree food.

Look out for morals as well as muscles in hiring farm hands. They may ruin the boys by their vicious examples.

Smoke from rags, dry wood or corn cobs is better than tobbacco in pacifying bees to remove honey, etc.

Carrots are recommended for horses to aid digestion, and tomatoes to cows to improve and increase the milk.

Mangers should be low, and stables well ventilated and well lighted. Many horses are made blind by being kept in the dark.

It is difficult to tell colic from bots in a horse, but a tablespoonful of chloroform, in twice as much mucilage, is a good remedy for either.

If the roots of trees ars dipped into water just before planting, the earth that sticks to them will give immediate support to the small fibers.

John Johnson says that farmers must give special attention to sheep and cattle keeping if they want to make grain growing more profitable.

Nine-tenths of the diseases which happen to the hoofs and ankles of the horse are occasioned by standing on the dry plank floors of the stable.

Shoots will push on old and young trees just where the limbs are not wanted. Remember that the new tender shoot will soon be a hard, woody branch. A slight rub will now remove it, but if left a year the knife must be used. Rub off these shoots when young and save cutting hereafter.

Cultivation in the orchard has a two-fold effect—it destroys the weeds, and leaves the surface in that light, mellow condition which enables it to answer the purposes of a mulch. Young orchards, with crops between the rows, should be cultivated with as much an eye to the trees as to the crops.

LIQUID GRAFTING WAX.—We advise none of our readers to pay a dollar for a receipt for making liquid grafting wax.—We have once or twice published such a receipt and again repeat it for the benefit of our subscribers. The following will make a wax that can be put on with a brush, will always be ready for use if kept tightly corked in a bottle, and can be applied to bruises or wounds on trees, or used as grafting wax; viz: Melt one pound of rosin over a gentle fire; add an ounce of beef tallow and stir it well; take it from the fire, let it cool down a little and add a tablespoonful of spirits of turpentine, and after that about seven ounces of very strong alcohol (95 per cent.) It will be necessary, after putting in the alcohol, to put it on the stove again, stirring it constantly, taking great care that the alcohol does not get inflamed. To avoid this, remove the kettle from the stove as soon as the mass, which may have cooled rapidly by the addition of the alcohol, begins to melt. Continue to stir, until the whole mass becomes the consistency of honey. This will be found far better and cheaper than the common shellac preparation used for this purpose; and after being put on for a day or two, becomes a clear, white color, and as hard as stone—impervious to water and air.

We charge our readers nothing for the above, and will warrant it better than that made from a receipt for which many will pay one dollar. The preparation for it has been proved and recommended by some of the best horticulturists in the country.—*Maine Farmer.*

CLEANING SILK.—The following is said to be and excellent recipe far cleaning silk: Pare three Irish potatoes; cut them into thin slices and wash them well. Pour on them a half pint of boiling water, and let it stand till cold; strain the water and add to it an equal quantity of alcohol. Sponge the silk on the right side, and when half dry, iron it on the wrong side. The most delicate colored silk may be cleaned by this process, which is equally applicable to cloth, velvet or crape.

WHEN TO PUT PAINT ON SURFACES.—Experiments show that paint on surfaces exposed to the sun will be much more durable if applied in autumn or Spring, than if put on in hot weather. In cold weather it dries slowly, forms a hard, glossy coat, tough like glass, while if applied in warm weather the oil strikes into the wood, leaving the paint so dry that it is rapidly beaten off by the rains.

A CURIOUS STORY.—Michigan papers state that a young man named George Denslow, living at Rome Centre, in that State, dreamed on the night of March 13th that he was deaf and dumb, and on awaking was horrified to find that he could neither speak nor hear. From that till the 4th of May, fifty-three days, he remained totally deaf and dumb. On the evening of that day, while returning home from the field where he had been at work, an odd feeling came over him and he was obliged to lean against the fence for support. Presently he heard a bird sing, and he found also that his voice had returned to him. During this suspension of voice and hearing, he had enjoyed uncommonly good health.

AFRAID OF THE SEX.—They have a queer character in one of the towns on the Connecticut river. He is a man of considerable property and unmarried. He will never go near a lady if he can possibly help it. It is said that it is frequently the case that he will postpone a visit to New York for a day because a lady happens to be in the stage in which he must ride to the train. At one time he sent word to the driver of the stage to stop for him on the following day, as he intended to go to New York. When the stage came down the next day the driver stopped, as requested, and asked if he was going to New York. The gentleman at first said he would, then said he wouldn't, then concluded he would, then gave it up again, and finally ask if there would be any ladies on the trip. The driver told him probably not, so he embarked. A short distance on the route a lady got on board; a little further, another came on; another followed, and finally, there were seven ladies on the stage and only one man—Old Eccentricity himself. He was caught that time, and never recovered from it. He hires a room in a hotel in New York by the year, as he is there a good part of the time. He never uses the washbowl and pitcher furnished by the hotel, but has some of his own which he keeps locked in his trunk. If he knows it, he will not allow his room to be occupied by any one save himself.—One morning he walked into the office, held out a long hair to the clerk, and said: "Found that in my room." His acquaintances know but little of him socially, and he is in every respect a strange being.

A CURIOUS CEREMONY.—The London correspondent of the Chicago Journal writes:

I witnessed one day last week a curious ceremony in one of the churches in my neighborhood. In 1794, an old lady died and was buried in one of the vaults of that church. When her will was read, it was found that she had bequeathed a considerable sum to the church, the proceeds of which were to be annually distributed to the poor of the parish on the 28th of January, her own birth-day. The condition attached to the bequest was, that her coffin should be carefully dusted every year on the day in question. In case this operation should be omitted on a single occasion, the entire principal of the bequest was to pass to the authorities of the adjoining parish. Of course the officials have always been careful to perform this interesting ceremony, and it was done this year for the seventy-fifth time, by the sexton, in presence of the vicar, church wardens, and numerous spectators, among whom was probably some interested party from the adjoining parish to watch the proceedings.

ONIONS.—If onions are sliced and kept in a sick room they will absorb all the atmospheric poison. They should be changed every hour. In the room of a small-pox patient they blister and decompose very rapidly, but will prevent the spread of the disease. Their application has also proved effectual in the case of snake bites.

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One square, 12 lines, one insertion,	$1 00
Each subsequent insertion,	25
Auditor's Notices, each,	2 00
Administrator's Notices, each,	2 50
Executors' Notices, each,	2 50
Estray Notices, each	1 50

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1 square, 12 lines,	$ 2 50	$ 4 00	$6 00
2 squares, 24 lines,	5 00	8 00	12 00
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Quarter column,	9 50	14 00	25 00
Third column,	11 00	16 00	28 00
Half column,	14 00	25 00	35 00
One Column.	25 00	35 00	60 00

Professional or Business Cards, not exceeding 8 lines, with paper, 6 00

Obituary Notices, over six lines, ten cents per line.

Special and business Notices eight cents per line for first insertion, and four cents for each subsequent insertion.

Resolutions of Societies, or communications of a personal nature must be paid for as advertisements.

JOB PRINTING.

We have made arrangements by which we can do or have done all kinds of plain and fancy Job Printing, such as Books, Pamphlets, Show Cards, Bill and Letter Heads, Handbills, Circulars, &c., in the best style of the art and at the most moderate prices. Also, all kinds of Ruling, Blank Books, Book Binding, &c., executed to order as good as the best and as cheap as the cheapest.

WANAMAKER AND BROWN
Clothing
6th & Market Sts
OAK HALL
PHILADELPHIA.

☞ Samples sent by mail when written for.

LOOK WELL TO YOUR UNDERSTANDINGS!

BOOTS AND SHOES
For Men's and Boys' Wear.

The undersigned respectfully informs his numerous customers and the public generally that he is prepared to manufacture BOOTS and SHOES of any desired size or quality, from the finest French calfskin boots to the coarsest brogan, in the VERY BEST MANNER, on the shortest notice, and at as moderate prices as like work can be obtained anywhere.

Those who have worn Boots and Shoes made at my establishment need no assurance as to the superior quality of my work. Others can easily be convinced of the fact if they will only give me a trial. Try and be convinced.

☞ Repairing of Boots and Shoes attended to promptly and in a workmanlike manner.

Thankful for past favors I feel confident that my work and prices will commend me to a continuance and increase of the same.

JOHN D. THOMAS.

Ebensburg, April 28, 1869.

DON'T BE MAKING "RYE"

ABOUT BAD BREAD & CAKES

BUT BUY YOUR

FLOUR

FROM

M. L. OATMAN,

Who sells the BEST BRANDS

AT THE LOWEST MARKET PRICE.

JOHN GAY. . . . . WM. WELSH.

GAY & WELSH,
Successors to Gay & Painter,
WHOLESALE
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
AND DEALERS IN
FLOUR, PRODUCE, FISH, SALT, CARBON OILS, &c., &c.,
362 LIBERTY STREET, - PITTSBURGH.

A. C. DIBERT,
WITH
BOKER & BROTHERS,
Manufacturers, and Wholesale Dealers in
CITY AND EASTERN MADE
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 432 MARKET STREET,
Below Fifth, South Side, - *PHILAD A.*

WHOLESALE
JANNEY & ANDREWS,
123 Market St. PHILADA.
GROCERS

PETER SIDES,
WITH
HICKMAN, HOLL & CO.,
WHOLESALE TOBACCO DEALERS,
S. E. Corner Third and Market Sts.,
Jan. 22, 1868. *PHILADELPHIA*

1869. SPRING TRADE. 1869.

I am now prepared to offer

SUPERIOR INDUCEMENTS

TO CASH PURCHASERS OF

TIN, SHEET-IRON & COPPER WARE,

EITHER AT

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL

My stock consists in part of every variety of

Tin, Sheet-Iron,

COPPER AND BRASS WARES,

ENAMELLED AND PLAIN

SAUCE-PANS, BOILERS, &c.,

COAL SHOVELS, MINE LAMPS, OIL CANS, HOUSEFURNISHING HARDWARE OF EVERY KIND.

Spear's Anti-Dust

HEATING AND COOKING STOVES,
EXCELSIOR COOKING STOVES,
NOBLE, TRIUMPH AND PARLOR COOKING STOVES,

And any Cooking Stove desired I will get when ordered at manufacturer's prices.—Odd Stove Plates and Grates, &c., for repairs, on hand for the Stoves I sell; others will be ordered when wanted. Particular attention given to

Spouting, Valleys and Conductors,

all of which will be made out of best materials and put up by competent workmen.

Lamp Burners, Wick and Chimneys

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

I would call particular attention to the Light House Burner, with Glass Cone, for giving more light than any other in use. Also, the Paragon Burner, for Crude Oil.

SPENCER'S SIFTER!
It recommends itself.

SUGAR KETTLES AND CAULDRONS
of all sizes constantly on hand.

Special attention given to
Jobbing in Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron.
at lowest possible rates.

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS' LISTS now ready, and will be sent on application by mail or in person.

Hoping to see all my old customers and many new ones this Spring, I return my most sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage I have already received, and will endeavor to please all who may call, whether they buy or not.

FRANCIS W. HAY.

Johnstown, March 7, 1867.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES!
TO CASH BUYERS!
AT THE EBENSBURG
HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE.

The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Ebensburg and the public generally that he has made a great reduction in prices to CASH BUYERS. My stock will consist, in part, of *Cooking, Parlor and Heating Stoves*, of the most popular kinds; *Tinware* of every description, of my own manufacture; *Hardware* of all kind, such as Locks, Screws, Butt Hinges, Table Hinges, Shutter Hinges, Bolts, Iron and Nails, Window Glass, Putty, Table Knives and Forks, Carving Knives and Forks, Meat Cutters, Apple Parers, Pen and Pocket Knives in great variety, Scissors, Shears, Razors and Strops, Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Boring Machines, Augers, Chissels, Planes, Compasses, Squares, Files, Rasps, Anvils, Vices, Wrenches, Rip, Panel and Cross-Cut Saws, Chains of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Scythes and Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Sleigh Bells, Shoe Lasts, Pegs, Wax Bristles, Clothes Wringers, Grind Stones, Patent Molasses Gates and Measures, Lumber Sticks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Cast Steel, Rifles, Shot Guns, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, Powder, Caps, Lead, &c., Old Stove Plates, Grates and Fire Bricks, Well and Cistern Pumps and Tubing; *Harness and Saddlery Ware* of all kind; *Wooden and Willow Ware* in great variety; Carbon Oil and Oil Lamps, Fish Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil, Lubricating Oil, Rosin, Tar, Glassware, Paints, Varnishes, Turpentine, Alcohol, &c.

FAMILY GROCERIES,

such as Tea, Coffee, Sugars, Molasses, Syrups, Spices, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples, Fish, Hominy, Crackers, Rice and Pearl Barley; Soaps, Candles; TOBACCO and CIGARS; Paint, Whitewash, Scrub, Horse, Shoe, Dusting, Varnish, Stove, Clothes and Tooth Brushes, all kinds and sizes; Bed Cords and Manilla Ropes, and many other articles at the lowest rates for CASH.

☞ *House Spouting* made, painted and put up at low rates for *cash*. A liberal discount made to country dealers buying Tinware wholesale. GEO. HUNTLEY

Ebensburg, Feb, 28, 1867.-tf.

GEORGE W. YEAGER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

HEATING AND COOK STOVES

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET-IRON WARE

OF HIS OWN MANUFACTURE,

And GENERAL JOBBER in SPOUTING

and all other work in his line.

Virginia Street, near Caroline Street,

ALTOONA, PA.

The only dealer in the city having the right to sell the renowned "BARLEY SHEAF" COOK STOVE, the most perfect, complete and satisfactory Stove ever introduced to the public.

STOCK IMMENSE. - PRICES LOW.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

JOHN CROUSE,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC WINES
AND LIQUORS.

BEST BRANDS OF BRANDY, WHISKY, IRISH WHISKY, GIN, &c., &c.

The very best qualities of Liquors, Wines, &c., for Medical purposes. Prices LOW.

☞ Hotel and Saloon keepers will do well to give me a call at my store on Canal street, in building formerly occupied by T. G. Stewart & Co, Johnstown, Aug. 27, 1868. tf.

M. L. OATMAN,
EBENSBURG, PA.,

Is the sole owner of the Right to Manufacture and sell

THE UNEQUALLED

METROPOLITAN OIL!!

The Last Great Medical Success.

MRS. S. A. ALLEN'S
IMPROVED
HAIR RESTORER
FAVORITE
HAIR DRESSING
New Style in one Bottle

will quickly restore Gray Hair to its natural color and beauty, and produce luxuriant growth. It is perfectly harmless, and is preferred over every other preparation by those who have a fine head of hair, as well as those who wish to restore it. The beautiful gloss and perfume imparted to the Hair make it desirable for old and young.

For Sale by all Druggists.
DEPOT, 198 GREENWICH ST., N. Y.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR

FAIRBANKS'
STANDARD
SCALES,
OF ALL KINDS. ALSO,
BAGGAGE BARROWS,
WAREHOUSE TRUCKS,
COPYING PRESSES,
Improved Money Drawers, &c.
FAIRBANK, MORSE & CO.,
152 Second Avenue,
Near Wood Street, PITTSBURGH.

SCALES REPAIRED PROMPTLY. (np 8.3m.)

A. D. CRISTE,
WITH
LITTLE & BAIRD,
WHOLESALE
GROCERS
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
112 & 114 SECOND AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

New Firm---New Goods.

THE undersigned, having given his son, J. E. Shields, an interest in his store, the business will hereafter be conducted under the firm name of P. H. Shields & Co., and as we are determined to sell Goods cheap for cash, or exchange for grain, lumber or produce, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a liberal patronage from a generous public.

Having determined to settle up my old books of thirty years standing, I now ask those indebted to me to come forward and make settlement on or before the 1st day of December, 1868. P. H. SHIELDS.

Loretto, Oct. 15, 1868. tf.

TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT REMOVED.—The subscriber would respectfully announce to his customers and the citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity generally, that he has removed to the new building on Centre street, opposite the Mountain House and adjoining the law office of Geo. M. Reade, Esq., and is now not only prepared to manufacture all goods which may be brought to him, but is supplied with a fine line of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c., which he will make to order in the best style and at the lowest prices. Feeling confident of giving entire satisfaction, I hope for an increased patronage in my new location. D. J. EVANS.

Ebensburg, Jan. 14, 1869.-tf.

ST. JAMES' HOTEL,
(Conducted on the European Plan,)
405 & 407 LIBERTY STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION DEPOT, PITTSBURGH, PA.
JAMES K. LANAHAN, - - - Proprietor.

This House is newly built and splendidly furnished, and convenient to all the Railroads coming into the city. The Restaurant connected with this Hotel open at all hours of the day and night. [oct.17.-1y.

PITTSBURGH STAR,
No. 429 Liberty Street.
OPPOSITE UNION PASSENGER DEPOT,
PITTSBURGH, PA.

[je.11.-1y.] FELIX HENLY, Prop'r.

UNION HOUSE,

EBENSBURG, PA., JEROME A. PLOTT, Propietor, spares no pains to render this hotel worthy of a continuation of the liberal patronage it has heretofore received. His table will always be furnished with the best the market affords; his bar with the best of liquors.—His stable is large, and will be attended by an attentive and obliging hostler. Jan 30, 1868.-tf.

MOUNTAIN HOUSE, EBENSBURG.
R. P. LINTON & CO., Prop'rs.

The TABLE is always supplied with the choicest delicacies; the BAR is supplied with choice liquors, and the STABLE attended by careful hostlers. Transient visitors accommodated and boarders taken by the week, month or year, on reasonable terms. feb21

MERCHANTS' HOTEL.
J. & W. C. M'KIBBIN, Proprietors.
Fourth St., between Market and Arch,
May 9, 1867.-1y. PHILADELPHIA.

L. L. LANGSTROTH'S
PATENT MOVABLE COMB BEE HIVE!

PRONOUNCED THE BEST EVER YET introduced in this County or State. Any person buying a family right can have their Bees transferred from an old box to a new one. In every instance in which this has been done the result has been entirely satisfactory, and the first take of honey has invariably paid all expenses, and frequently exceeded them. Proof of the superior merits of this invention will be found in the testimony of every man who has given it a trial, and among the number are the gentlemen named below, and their experience should induce every one interested in Bees to

BUY A FAMILY RIGHT!

Henry C. Kirkpatrick, of Carroll township, took 106 pounds of surplus honey from two hives, which he sold at 35 cents per pound.

Adam Deitrich, of Carroll township, took from two hives 100 pounds of surplus honey.

James Kirkpatrick, of Chest township, took 60 pounds of surplus honey from one hive.

Jacob Kirkpatrick, of Chest township, obtained 72 pounds of surplus honey from one hive, worth not less than $21, and the right cost him only $5.

Peter Campbell from one hive obtained 36 pounds of surplus honey at one time

☞ Quite a number of similar statements, authenticated by some of the best citizens of Cambria county, could be obtained in proof of the superior merits of Langstroth's Patent Movable Comb Bee Hive.

Persons wishing to purchase family rights should call on or address

PETER CAMPBELL,
Nov. 5, 1866.-tf. Carrolltown, Pa.

M. L. OATMAN,

DEALER IN

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

CONSISTING OF

Double Extra Family Flour,

GRAIN, FEED,

BACON, SALT, FISH,

FRESH VEGETABLES,

ALL KINDS OF FRUITS,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES,

SYRUPS, MOLASSES, CHEESE, &c.

Also, a large stock of the

Best Brands of Cigars and Tobacco.

STORE ON HIGH STREET,

Four Doors East of Crawford's Hotel,

Ebensburg, Pa.

EBENSBURG FOUNDRY
AGAIN IN FULL BLAST!

NEW FIRM, NEW BUILDINGS, &c.

HAVING purchased the well known EBENSBURG FOUNDRY from Mr. Edw. Glass, and rebuilt and enlarged it almost entirely, besides refitting it with new machinery, the subscribers are now prepared to furnish *COOK, PARLOR & HEATING STOVES*, of the latest and most approved patterns THRESHING MACHINES, MILL GEARING, ROSE and WATER WHEELS of every description, IRON FENCING, PLOUGHS and PLOUGH CASTINGS, and in fact all manner of articles manufactured in a first class Foundry. Job Work of all kind attended to promptly and done cheaply.

The special attention of Farmers is invited to two newly patented PLOUGHS which we possess the sole right to manufacture and sell in this county, and which are admitted to be the best ever introduced to the public.

Believing ourselves capable of performing any work in our line in the most satisfactory manner, and knowing that we can do work at LOWER PRICES than have been charged in this community heretofore we confidently hope that we will be found worthy of liberal patronage.

Fair reductions made to wholesale dealers.

☞ The highest prices paid in cash for old metal, or castings given in exchange.

OUR TERMS ARE STRICTLY CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE. CONVERY, VINROE & CO.

Ebensburg, Sept. 2, 1868.

EBENSBURG
DRUG AND BOOK STORE.

HAVING recently enlarged our stock we are now prepared to sell at a great reduction from former prices. Our stock consists of Drugs, Medicines, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, Leon's, Hall's and Allen's Hair Restoratives, Pills, Ointments, Plasters, Liuments, Pain Killers, Citrate Magnesia, Ess Jamaica Ginger, Pure Flavoring Extracts, Essences, Lemon Syrup, Soothing Syrup, Spiced Syrup, Rhubarb, Pure Spices, &c.;

CIGARS AND TOBACCOS.

Blank Books, Deeds, Notes and Bonds; Cap, Post, Commercial and all kinds of Note Paper; Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Arnold's Writing Fluid, Black and Red Ink, Pocket and Pass Books, Magazines, Newspapers, Novels, Histories, Bibles, Religious, Prayer and Toy Books, Penknives, Pipes, &c.

☞ We have added to our stock a lot of FINE JEWELRY, to which we would invite the attention of the Ladies.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS at lower prices than ever offered in this place.

Paper and Cigars sold either wholesale or retail. LEMMON & MURRAY,

July 30, 1868. Main Street, Ebensburg.

SECURE THE SHADOW ERE *THE SUBSTANCE FADES!*

SPENCER'S NEW
PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY

Is now in perfect order for executing Pictures in every style of the art. Photographs of life like accuracy, ranging from the smallest card picture to the largest size for framing, taken in any weather, and warranted to give satisfaction. Particular attention paid to children's pictures. Frames of all kinds for sale cheap. Frames of any kind not on hand will be ordered when desired. Instructions in the art on liberal terms.

☞ Gallery on Julian street, 3 doors north of Town Hall. T. T. SPENCE,

Ebensburg, Oct. 8, 1868. Photographer.

A WORD FROM JOHNSTOWN!

JOHN J. MURPHY & CO.,

Have constantly on hand a large and well selected stock of seasonable

Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, and a general variety of NOTIONS, &c.—Their stock consists of almost every article usually kept in a retail store, all of which have been selected with care and are offered at prices which cannot fail to prove satisfactory. Call and examine for yourselves.

Feb. 28, 1867.-tf. $8*

LOOK HERE! LOOK HERE!!—

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber will sell the Farm on which he resides, in Allegheny twp., Cambria county. The Farm contains 145 Acres (90 cleared) and the improvements are ample and in good order. Fair terms and indisputable title. Possession given 1st April. A. WALTERS.

Feb. 4, 1868.-tf. Loretto P. O.

GEIS & REUTH,
Johnstown, Pa.,
BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS
AND BOOK BINDERS,
MANUFACTURERS OF BLANK BOOKS,
PORTE-MONAIS, PAPER BOXES
AND LOOKING GLASSES.

Looking Glass and Picture Frames always on hand, and made to order. A large and most complete assortment of Drawing Room and Miscellaneous Pictures, consisting of Chromos, Paintings in Oil, Steel Plate Engravings, Pisin and Colored Lithographs, Oil Prints, Photographs and Wood Cuts.—This collection embraces a selection of large sized match pictures of Landscape and Domestic Scenes and Portraits, and 5,000 different varieties of Card Photographs of prominent men, comic and sentimental scenes and copies of subjects by celebrated artists. We have also a varied assortment of BIBLES, PRAYER, HYMN and SCHOOL BOOKS, HISTORIES, BIOGRAPHIES, NOVELS, &c. Religious Prints and Emblems in great variety, and the largest and most complete stock of STATIONERY ever brought to the county. 500 new and beautiful styles of WALL PAPER, including an assortment of Potter's celebrated English make, for which we are sole agents in this locality. These Wall Papers are handsomer in design, superior in finish, and 2½ inches wider than any other make.

The citizens of Ebensburg and vicinity are respectfully notified that we make BOOK BINDING and the manufacture of BLANK BOOKS a speciality. All work promptly executed at moderate rates.

☞ Store on corner of Clinton and Locust streets, immediately opposite Foster House. Johnstown, Oct. 24, 1867.-tf.

CHAIR MANUFACTORY.
WM. P. PATTON,
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

ALL KINDS OF CHAIRS,

such as common Windsor Chairs, Fret Back Chairs, Vienna Chairs, Rustic Chairs, Rim Backed Chairs, Sociable Chairs,

Cane Seat Chairs,

ROCKING CHAIRS, OF EVERY SIZE

SPRING SEAT CHAIRS

Settees, Lounges, &c., &c.

CABINET FURNITURE

of every description and of latest STYLES, WITH PRICES TO SUIT THE

Tastes of all.

Thankful for past favors, he respectfully solicits a liberal share of public patronage. Clinton Street, Johnstown Cambria Co. Pa. [Jan. 31, 1867.

Johnstown and Ebensburg
MARBLE WORKS!

Having again taken charge of the branch Marble Works at Ebensburg, which he will operate in connection with his extensive establishment at Johnstown, the subscriber adopts this method of informing the citizens of Cambria county, that he keeps a constant supply of the best

ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE,

which he is prepared at stated times in Ebensburg and at all times in Johnstown, to manufacture to order, either as MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES, MANTLES, TABLE or BUREAU TOPS, in as workmanlike manner and at as low prices as like work can be put in any of the cities. Having in my employ a full force of experienced and skillful workmen, I do not promise too much when I say that I can furnish any of the above articles on short notice, at the lowest prevailing prices, and in a style of finish which cannot be excelled by any other manufacturer in the State.

A large stock of GRINDSTONES on hand and for sale cheap.

Prompt attention paid to orders from a distance and work put up wherever desired, or delivered at any point named.

JOHN PARKE.

Johnstown, June 4, 1868.-tf.

REVERE THE MEMORY OF *FRIENDS DEPARTED!*

MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES, &c.

The subscriber still continues to manufacture of the best material and in the most workmanlike manner, at the

Loretto Marble Works

all kind of MONUMENTS AND TOMBSTONES, as well as TABLE and BUREAU TOPS, and all other work in his line. Now but the best American and Italian Marble used, and perfect satisfaction guaranteed in all cases at prices as low as like work can be obtained in the cities or elsewhere. Call and see specimens and judge for yourselves as to the merits cheapness of my work.

JAMES WILKINSON.

Loretto, March 12, 1868.1y.

ANDREW MOSES.
MERCHANT TAILOR,

SUPPEE'S BUILDING, CLINTON ST., Johnstown,

HAS just received his fall and winter stock of fine French, London and American CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, and a full assortment of Gent's Furnishing Goods.

Mr. Moses has been for eight years cutter at Wood, Morrell & Co.'s establishment, and now desires to inform his friends and the public generally that he has commenced business in Suppee's building, on Clinton street, with a stock of goods adapted to the fall and winter, which he is prepared to make up in the latest style and at moderate prices for cash, hoping by attention to business to merit a share of public patronage, and maintain that success which has heretofore attended his efforts in producing good fitting garments. Give him a call.

Johnstown, Sept. 2, 1868.-tf.

FOREIGN SHIPPING
AND
EXCHANGE OFFICE.

WE ARE NOW SELLING EXCHANGE,
AT NEW YORK RATES, ON

England,	Ireland,	Scotland,
Wales,	Germany,	Prussia,
Austria,	Bavaria,	Wurtemberg,
Baden,	Hessen,	Saxony,
Hanover,	Belgium,	Switzerland,
Holland,	Norway and	France,

And Tickets to and from any Port in

England,	Ireland,	Scotland,
Germany,	France,	California,
New South Wales or		Australia.

KERR & CO.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 31, 1867.

W. F. ALTFATHER,
MANUFACTURER
And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
HAVANA AND DOMESTIC CIGARS,
PLUG AND FINE CUT
Chewing and Smoking Tobacco,
Snuff, Pipes, Snuff Boxes & Cigar Cases,
AT THE SIGN OF THE INDIAN,
MAIN STREET, - - - JOHNSTOWN.

GOOD, BETTER, BEST.—The best and cheapest Tobacco and Cigars in town are at M. L. Oatman's. Go and see.